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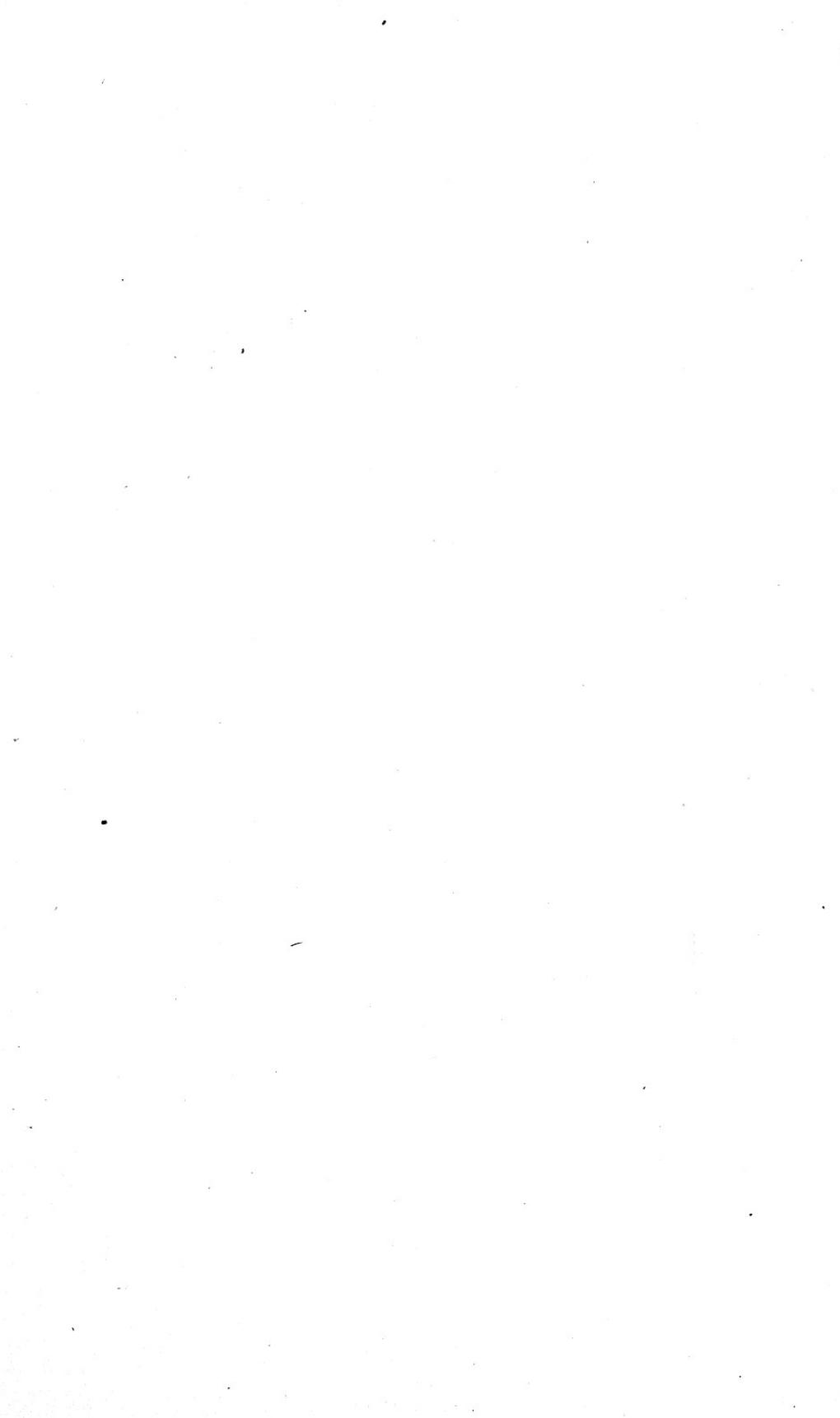
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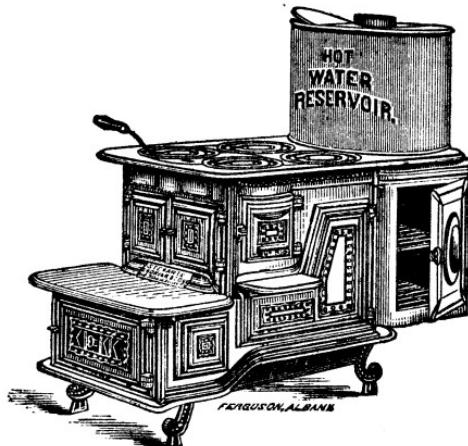










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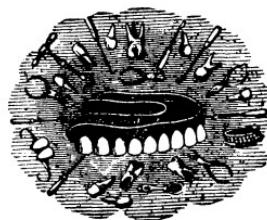
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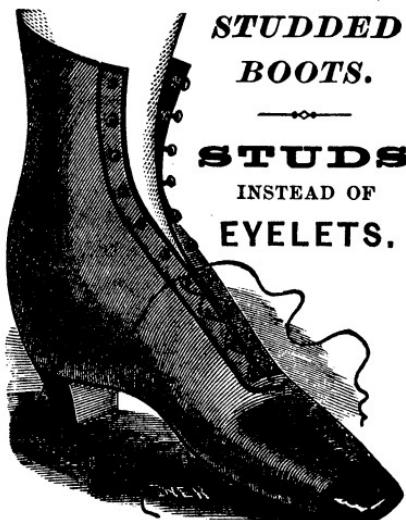
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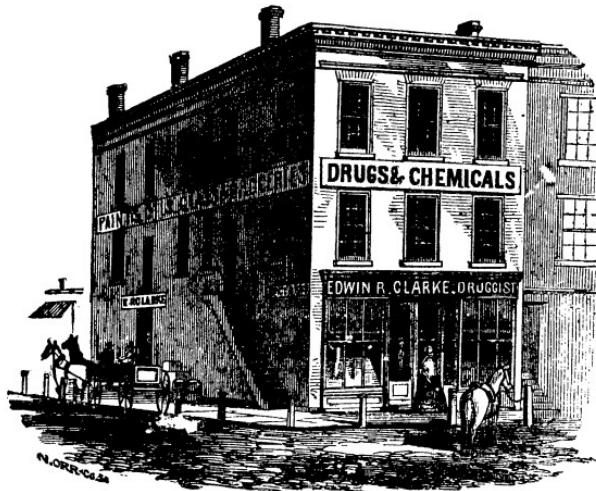
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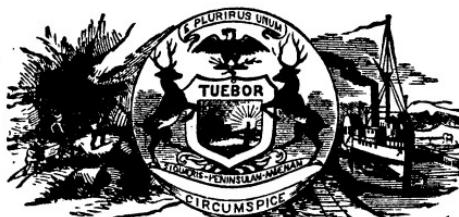
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## INTRODUCTION.

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THE compilation of the Branch County Directory and Historical Record has been attended with much more labor than was anticipated at the outset. The many mistakes which creep into works of this character we have been careful to avoid. That is it perfect in every particular we have no right to expect. Our Yankee Nation, of which Branch county is a worthy part, being a *stirring* one, a few undoubtedly, will be too restless to sit for their picture and consequently will not answer to roll call. Yet we are certain that the good people for whom it is intended will appreciate the efforts we have made, not only to make the work reliable but interesting and entertaining.

The Historical Sketches were written by Dr. I. P. Alger, Hon. Wales Adams, Col. M. Mudge, James H. Lawrence, Esq., Hon. C. D. Randall, Judge H. Warner, Hon. E. G. Fuller, Allen Tibbets, Esq., Capt. J. H. McGowan, and Capt. G. H. Turner, to whom are due our earnest thanks for the hearty manner in which they have responded to our request. A host of friends will please accept our thanks for the material aid rendered, and we trust they will receive large dividends on the money invested.

No inattention on our part has rendered the work less perfect, and should any feel tempted to criticise let them remember that this is our initiatory step in the business.

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**ABBREVIATIONS.**—Bds., boards; bet., between; cor., corner; Chi., Chicago; E., east; lab., laborer; N., north; opp., opposite; prop., proprietor; S., south; s., side; st., street; W., west; Wash., Washington; Jeff., Jefferson; ret., retired.

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## BRANCH COUNTY.

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The county of Branch is situated in nearly the centre of the southern tier of counties adjoining the Indiana state line, and is bounded on the north by Calhoun county, on the east by Hillsdale county, on the south by Indiana, and on the west by St. Joseph county.

It was organized in 1833, being called, previous to that date, the township of Green a part of St. Joseph county, and contains an area of 528 square miles, of which about 150,000 acres are improved. The St. Joseph river flows through the northern part of the county, while the remainder is well watered by the Prairie and Coldwater rivers, Big Swan and Little Swan creeks and their tributaries. Pleasant, Stone, and Deadwood lakes are the principal ones in the county, though there are numerous small lakes and ponds in the central and southern portions. The surface is generally level though somewhat broken in the eastern part. The slope being toward the southwest. The soil is diversified, consisting, upon the level or prairie portions, of a dry, black, rich loam, and in the timbered openings, of a yellow sandy loam, which although not so rich as that of the prairie, produces, when thoroughly cultivated, abundant crops. Two thirds of the county is in oak openings and prairie, the remainder well timbered.

The streams, though small comparatively, furnish excellent water power, which, is being rapidly improved.

There are sixteen organized townships in the county: Alagansee, Batavia, Bethel, Bronson, Butler, California, Coldwater, Girard, Gil-ead, Kinderhook, Matteson, Noble, Quincy, Sherwood, and Union, together with the incorporated city of Coldwater and villages of Quincy, Union City, and Bronson, containing an aggregate population of 26,339.

No county in the State will rank before Branch in the fertility of its soil or the amount produced compared with the number of acres under cultivation.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad, and the Mich-

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**Col. Mudge, of Quincy, Mich., Gen. Agent for the Security Life Ins. Co. of New York. See Adverstisement.**

igan Air Line passes through the county, and the Ohio and Lake Michigan Railroad is in process of construction, which, when completed, will add much to the value of real estate in the county, besides contributing largely toward the development of its vast agricultural resources.

The County Seat was first located at Masonville in 1830, but owing to an accident of the commissioners, who failed to be sworn in, their action was not confirmed, consequently new commissioners were appointed by the Governor, who located the county seat at "Branch," about two miles southwest of there, within the township of Coldwater, where it remained until 1840.

A building was erected in 1837-38 which served the double purpose of Court House and Jail. The sum of \$383 was given for its construction. But in 1838 the sum of \$250 was raised to put the jail in condition for use. In 1840 the county seat, by an act of the Legislature, was removed to the village, now city, of Coldwater, where it still remains.

The court house and jail being at Branch the courts held their sessions there, and the citizens of Coldwater anxious to have the business, it is said, persuaded one Delos Woodard, then in jail for stealing Dr. Stillman's horse, when drunk, to burn the jail so that the business would come to Coldwater, for which kind act, on the part of Delos, they sent him to the penitentiary.

The trials and difficulties, with which the pioneers had to contend, were many, among which, not the least, was the want of mills. There were no mills for grinding nearer than Constantine, 35 miles west, or Tecumseh, 55 miles east, and it was a journey of several days to and from either of those places, traveling, as they were obliged to, by marked trees through the woods. The first mill for grinding built in the county was built in 1832, by one Kirk, John Allen, Seth Dunham, and Dr. Hill, on the west branch of Coldwater river, one mile south of the present Branch mills, and was known as the "Poka Mills." The stones were made of the so called rock stone, and the bolt was of book muslin.

In 1840 it passed into the hands of R. J. Champion, and was commonly known as the "Black Hawk Mill." It has since been rebuilt, and is owned by Mr. Munson.

The first land ever deeded in this county, on record, was Dec. 3d, 1830, by Jno. G. Richardson to Jno. Potter, and recorded June 8th,

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1831, Jno. W. Anderson county register. The first tax collected in the county amounted to \$7,36, fees fifty cents, which when compared with the tax of 1870, shows at a glance the vast increase of population and wealth which a few years will bring about. The amount of tax collected in 1870 amounts to \$36,960,15.

The first town meeting ever held embraced the whole county (township of Green) it was held in a pole cabin, where now the Branch mills are, one half mile south of the village of Branch. The size of the cabin was fourteen by eighteen feet—all the voters in the county were present and during a shower all were inside the spacious building and plenty of room for more.

In October, 1833, Messrs. Silas A. Holbrook, Supervisor of Coldwater, and Jeremiah Tillotson, Supervisor of Prairie River, met and organized the first Board of Supervisors, by appointing Mr. Tillotson president, and Seth Dunham clerk. Mr. McCarty was the first Sheriff of this county.

The year 1835 marked the advent of many from the State of New York, and a large emigration from that region continued to add to the population, which in 1837, had increased to the number of 4,016.

The first Quarterly Meeting ever held in the county was held in a small frame building owned by Allen Tibbets, standing on the spot where H. C. Lewis' residence now stands, James Gilruth was the Presiding Elder, and preaching, cooking, praying, and eating, were all carried on in the same room, there being but one in the house, and thirty people were accommodated from Saturday night until Monday morning. Mr. Tibbets remarks that if the devil was ever in a hog it must have possessed one at that time, for while service was being conducted on the inside an old porker came and rooted over and ate the best part of the dinner, being cooked in a "Dutch oven" on the outside. Eld. Gilruth being a large man required two horses, riding one until tired out and then changing the saddle to the other; he was the only Presiding Elder in the State at that time.

The first religious society in the county was formed in the house above mentioned, by Elijah H. Pilcher, traveling preacher of the M. E. Church. The society consisted of four members.

The first temperance society formed in the county was organized by Bishop Chase, and the seed then sown has sprung up and brought

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forth much fruit, and Sons and Daughters of Temperance, Washingtonians, and Good Templars, are still at work in the good cause.

The first coroner's inquest held in the county was in a little cabin on the east bank of Coldwater river, now in the limits of Chicago St. The man was found frozen to death with a jug of whisky by his side, on the farm now owned by Wilson Cooley. The first newspaper published in Branch county was started in 1832.

The settlement of Branch county was retarded by hunters and trappers, reporting it to be low and marshy, unfit for cultivation. They knowing their occupation would be gone when it became thickly settled, were not slow to circulate the story, and were believed until some more venturesome pushed boldly forward and found, as it has proved to be, one of the finest agricultural sections in the State.

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## COUNTY OFFICERS.

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JUDGE OF PROBATE—DAVID N. GREEN.

SHERIFF—LEWIS B. JOHNSON.

REGISTER OF DEEDS—DANIEL A. DOUGLAS.

COUNTY CLERK—FRANCIS M. BISSELL.

TREASURER—JOHN WHITCOMB.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY—JONAS H. McGOWAN.

CIRCUIT COURT COMMISSIONERS—FFANK L. SKEELS,  
EZRA BERRY.

COUNTY SURVEYOR—TITUS BABCOCK.

COUNTY DRAIN COMMISSIONER—JOHN H. BENNETT.

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS—ALBERT A. LUCE.

CORONERS—JEROME D. WOLCOTT,  
NATHAN FETTERLY.

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## BRANCH COUNTY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

*Organized in 1850.*

Fairs held annually at the spacious grounds in the north part of the city of Coldwater.

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PRESIDENT—GEORGE VANAIKEN.

SECRETARY—I. P. ALGER.

TREASURER—ALBERT CHANDLER.

### COLDWATER AGRICULTURAL AND BREEDERS' ASSOCIATION.

*Organized in April, 1862.*

PRESIDENT—J. F. PRATT.

SECRETARY—E. W. MARKHAM.

TREASURER—L. M. WING.

Fairs held annually, which call the best horses in this and adjoining States, and among the number those owned in Branch county take a prominent part.

### SCHOOL STATISTICS.

TOWNSHIPS.	No. OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS.	WHOLE NO. OF CHILDREN.	No. ATTEND'G SCHOOL.	AVERAGE NO. MONTHS.	VALUE SCHOOL PROPERTY.	EXPENSE OF SCHOOLS.
California.....	5	234	217	7	\$2,225	\$861 81
Sherwood.....	8	339	312	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	5,250	1,542 07
Kinderhook.....	4	189	171	8	1,700	909 50
Coldwater.....	11	529	464	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	10,000	4,997 50
Butler.....	7	431	402	7	4,400	1,797 91
Algansee.....	10	437	396	7 $\frac{1}{10}$	3,410	2,474 27
Girard.....	11	430	408	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	9,900	3,428 92
Quincy.....	10	815	717	7	21,750	1,682 36
Gilead.....	6	279	232	7 $\frac{1}{5}$	3,070	1,679 86
Union .....	9	569	524	7 $\frac{1}{3}$	8,750	4,280 73
Matteson.....	11	413	419	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6,025	1,695 00
Bethel.....	8	489	422	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,750	2,909 00
Batavia .....	9	368	343	8 $\frac{1}{3}$	7,150	2,852 17
Ovid.....	9	423	420	6 $\frac{1}{3}$	5,950	1,732 75
Coldwater City .....	1	1278	1195	10	50,000	18,189 94
Bronson.....	9	747	306	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,960	6,527 60
Noble.....	5	233	216	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	4,000	1,379 14

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## COLDWATER CITY AND TOWNSHIP.

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The first white man who settled within the territory of what is now the city of Coldwater, was a Mr. Hugh Campbell, who, in 1829, emigrated here from New York. In 1831 there were located at Coldwater, John Wilson, who built his shanty on the spot where now stands the Methodist Episcopal Church—little did he think that in so few short years an imposing structure, capable of seating a thousand, would be reared on the site of his log cabin in the wilderness; Hugh Campbell, who located where H. C. Lewis's residence now stands; Robert J. and William H. Cross pitched their tent in the east, where is now the residence of Dr. Sprague; Joseph Hanchett built his cabin on the spot where now stands the old bakery, opposite the post-office. These, at that date, were the sum total of the buildings standing in (the now city of) Coldwater.

The Chicago road, as laid out, ran about four rods north of Joseph Hanchett's house, and the stump, where he and his neighbors pounded their corn, stood on the lot now occupied by the store of E. R. Clarke & Co.

The first land ever plowed in this town was a lot of twenty acres lying south and east of H. C. Lewis's residence, and on this lot was planted the first orchard in Branch county. The second was set out by Harvey Warner, and one of the trees now stands by the road side at Masonville.

September 1st, 1830, Hugh Campbell entered the west half of the north-west fourth of section twenty-two; Joseph Hanchett the east half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-one; R. J. and Wm. H. Cross the east six lots of section twenty-two. In February, Campbell sold his eighty acres to the Crosses for \$180, with twenty acres plowed and sixteen apple trees set out, and a shanty built. This was one of the coldest winters ever known—snow twenty inches deep, and Coldwater River frozen on the first of December so as to be impassable for teams until the ice was broken.

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In 1831, Allen Tibbets bought of the Crosses the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-two. Silas A. Holbrook and others were at that time added to the settlement. The first town meeting ever held was at the house of John Morse, April 7, 1834, Seth Dunham, clerk.

One of the first frame buildings erected in town was a part of the "Oriental House," built by Benjamin Smith, of Girard, for John Morse, and was called the "Phenix Hotel," John Morse, landlord, who was for a long time the proprietor.

Rev. Allen Tibbets was the first resident preacher of the gospel. He emigrated to this county in 1831, and delivered his first discourse in July of that year.

The first *house* erected in Coldwater was built by Hugh Campbell, on the spot where now stands the north wing of the "Lewis Art Gallery."

Harvey Warner, who is well known to nearly all of our citizens, is one of the pioneers. He came to locate land in 1830, and moved from Clinton, Lenawee county, in 1831. He now resides, with his family, in an elegant brick mansion one mile south of the court house, his residence commanding a fine view of the city and surrounding country.

In 1832 the village was laid out, by Messrs. Hanchett & Tibbets, under the name of Lyons, which was, the following year, changed to Coldwater, being the interpretation of the Indian word "Chuck-sen-ya-bish," which was applied by them to the river upon which the place is built. The first physician was Dr. Chase, who located here in 1833. On removing the county seat from Branch to this place, the village received considerable impetus, and from the completion of the M. S. R. R. to this place, in 1851, the village increased rapidly in size. The Legislature passed an act incorporating the village of Coldwater, February 29, 1837. The first election held under it was on the first Monday of May, in the same year, when Hon. Hiram Alden, then Representative in the Legislature from Branch county, was elected President; Hiram Shoudler, Recorder; William H. Cross, Silas A. Holbrook, Joseph Hanchett, Reuben J. Champion, Harvey Warner, and John J. Curtis, Trustees.

A city charter was obtained in 1861, and at the present time the city of Coldwater is one of the most beautiful and flourishing inland cities in the State. Distance from Detroit, 100 miles south-west,

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by common road; 132 miles by rail; fare, \$3.90. One hundred and fifty-five miles east of Chicago; fare, \$4.90. Eighty-seven miles from Toledo; fare, \$2.70.

The city contains seven churches, representing the Presbyterian, Episcopal Methodist, Baptist, Episcopal, Wesleyan Methodist, German Lutheran, and Catholic denominations. The Presbyterian, M. E., and Baptist church buildings are among the finest in the State. The Presbyterian, being the last erected, went a little *broader* and a little *higher* than its predecessors.

The school buildings far exceed those of most towns of the size of Coldwater. The central and fourth ward buildings are elegant and imposing structures; the third ward building is a commodious one, though not presenting so fine an appearance as the others.

The county buildings "are nothing to brag of." The jail is *worthless*. It is to be hoped that the people of Branch county will soon see *the error of their ways*, and erect county buildings worthy of the name, which will *show* the honest pride and laudable ambition which we know *exists* among the people of this highly favored county.

There are upwards of two hundred mercantile and mechanical establishments, offices, etc., including large and elegant business blocks, several of which are in process of completion; two weekly newspapers, three banking establishments, and six hotels.

The city is finely laid out, on rich prairie land, the streets running at right angles, lighted with gas and ornamented with shade trees. There are a large number of fine residences, and but few buildings of an inferior order. The trade of the city is quite important, it being the central depot for wool, grain producers, and also an excellent market for horses (some of the best in the country being raised in the vicinity), cattle, and live stock generally, as well as for fruit and every description of produce.

A branch of the Coldwater River, which flows through the town, affords an excellent water power.

The city of Coldwater, according to census lately taken, contains a population of 4,477, (some two or three thousand *missing*, and not accounted for.)

The township of Coldwater—sometimes called the rim—contains the city of Coldwater, in the center of the township, and the village of Branch. Branch was first settled in 1832, by Harvey Warner,

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Elisha and Hart Warner, and Joel Burlingame, father to the Hon. Anson Burlingame, known and honored in three continents, and by whose death civilization lost a staunch promoter. For the next five years, Branch was the business center for the county.

The township of Coldwater is one of the finest in the county, and is excelled by none in the State. The county farm and buildings are located in this town, on the Marshall road, south of the city. It contains a population of 1,534.

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## THE LEWIS ART GALLERY.

BY HON. C. D. RANDALL.

Coldwater city will soon become, if it is not already, more widely known through the fame of this gallery, than by any other means. Mr. Lewis's collection is double the size of any other, either public or private, on this continent, and in its merits it will bear favorable comparison. In view of these facts, is it too much to hope that what Florence is to Italy, Coldwater may become, in time, to America—a great art center? The paintings and statuary number 463, being principally of the former. There are in the galleries of this country pictures more expensive than these, but the merits of these will compare well with the most expensive. These were purchased more with a view to their merits than the reputation of the artist, which it is known has sold many ordinary productions. The larger part of the paintings were selected by Mr. Lewis while on a year and a half tour in Europe, with his estimable lady. He had given, for a long time, especial study to the fine arts, and had well qualified himself for making excellent selections. Knowing that it was useless to make a gallery with the works of the old masters, he procured copies of their celebrated paintings, and many pieces by eminent living artists. Among those copied from, are the well known names of Raphael, Salvator Rosa, Murillo, Guido, Michael Angelo, Corregio, Titan, and many others well known to the lovers of art. When Mr. Lewis returned from Europe, he erected the south part of the present gallery, a brick building 23×53 feet, with ceilings 25 feet high, and lighted by sky-light, and has it now

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filled mostly with copies from that collection. When the celebrated Thompson collection was offered for sale, Mr. Lewis purchased from it the larger part of the best paintings, among which are the "Sleeping Beauty," "The Attack on the Emigrant Train," "The Death of Wolf," "John Knox Accused of Treason," and "Hagar in the Wilderness," most of which have a national reputation. He procured at the same time about sixty portraits, by eminent artists, of celebrated characters, which add largely to the interest of the gallery. This is the largest collection of portraits in the country, except one. For this last purchase there has been erected an addition 40×40 feet, lighted same as the other. The best feature of this splendid collection of art is, that it is closed to none, that it is free to all. There is no other free gallery in the country, owned by a private individual. Every Saturday throngs of visitors are there. They come from far and near, all seeming to deeply enjoy and appreciate the feast so bounteously set before them. When we consider the character that this fine gallery gives our city, how its influence on our people is to cultivate in them a taste and knowledge of fine arts, how this same influence will elevate, purify and enlighten public taste and soften manners; when we consider that all this is being done by the presence of these works of art in our midst; we ask the question, as has often been done by others, what better thing could have been done for our city than the founding of this noble and generous institution by HENRY C. LEWIS? We know that a thankful and appreciative people say that the right work has been done, and by the right man.

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## CITY OFFICERS.

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### MAYOR—JUSTIN LAWYER.

### SUPERVISORS.

*First Ward*—DAVID N. GREEN.

*Second Ward*—T. C. ETHERIDGE.

*Third Ward*—DAVID THOMPSON.

*Fourth Ward*—SYLVANUS S. SCOVILL.

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## ALDERMEN.

*First Ward*—HIRAM SHOUDLER, LEWIS B. JOHNSON.

*Second Ward*—THOS. W. DICKENSON, PURLEY G. BURTON

*Third Ward*—HIRAM B. ROBINSON, WM. R. FOSTER.

*Fourth Ward*—BLECKER L. WEBB, JNO. R. CHAMPION.

*City Clerk*—WM. H. H. HALSTED.

*Treasurer*—LESTER E. ROSE.

*Marshal*—ALFRED THOMPSON.

*Street Commissioner*—JNO. M. SANDERS.

*Collector*—CORNELIUS VAN NESS.

## JUSTICES.

ISAAC ALGER,  
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## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

E. W. MARKHAM, Chief Engineer.

GEO. D. FORD, 1st Assistant.

MYRON H. CRIPPEN, 2d Assistant.

Foreman "Excelsior" Engine Co. No. 1, Wm. R. Foster.

Foreman "Undine" Engine Co. No. 2, Chas. Jewett.

Foreman "Excelsior" Hose Co. No. 1, Chas. Truesell.

Foreman "Hope" Hose Co. No. 2, C. H. DeClute.

## CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Marshall street. Rev. W. C. Porter, pastor.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Marshall street. Rev. R. Cooley, pastor.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH—Church street. Rev. Mr. Beckwith, pastor.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Corner Division and Pearl streets.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Hanchett street.

GERMAN LUTHERAN—Hudson street.

CATHOLIC—Harrison street. Rev. R. Korst, pastor.

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### SOCIETIES.

**COLDWATER LODGE** No. 295, I. O. G. T.—Meets Monday evening of each week, No. 21 Chicago street. D. W. Eastman, W. C. T.; N. Conover, W. S.

**LADIES LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**—Mrs. Alma Lewis, President; Mrs. Josephine McGowan, Secretary.

**TYRE LODGE** No. 18, F. A. M.—Regular communications first Tuesday in each month. D. Bovee, W. M.; W. C. Burns, S. W.; R. A. Hall, J. W.; Geo. M. Dumon, Sec'y. G. H. Taylor, Tyler.

**COLDWATER LODGE** No. 260, F. A. M.—Regular communications first Monday in each month. N. Rosenbaum, W. M.; W. J. Jones, S. W.; J. P. Fisk, J. W.; A. G. Stevens, Sec'y; H. Foland, Tyler.

**TEMPLE CHAPTER** No. 21, R. A. M.—Regular convocation first Wednesday on or after full moon in each month. D. B. Purinton, H. P.; N. Rosenbaum, K.; M. Hawley, S.; M. Mansfield, C. of H.; Geo. M. Dumon, Sec'y; Geo. Firth, Sentinel.

**MOUNT MORIAH COUNCIL** No. 6—Regular convocation first Thursday on or after full moon in each month. M. Mansfield, T. I. G. M.; N. Rosenbaum, D. I. G. M.; R. A. Hall, P. C. of W.; Geo. M. Dumon, Recorder; Geo. Firth, Sentinel.

**JACOBS COMMANDERY** K. T., No. 10—Regular conclaves first Friday in each month. O. C. Graham, E. C.; R. H. Drake, Gen'l; M. Mansfield, Capt, Gen'l; C. J. Manvel, Recorder; Geo. Firth, Sentinel.

**EASTERN STAR LODGE** No. 3, A. M.—Regular meeting second Friday in each month. Mrs. D. B. Purinton, W. P.; Mrs. M. Mansfield, V. P.; Mrs. Emma Currier, Sec'y; Mr. G. H. Taylor, Sentinel.

### BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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**Union School—Central Building.**

D. BEMISS, B. A., - SUPERINTENDENT.

Miss Mary McMechen, *Preceptress*; Mrs. L. A. White Stevens, *Assistant*.

F. H. Bauter, *1st Grammar*; Miss Mary A. Sterling, *2d Grammar*, De Ette Kingsley, *2d Grammar*.

Miss Estelle J. Orr, *1st Intermediate*; Miss Hattie Hopkins, Miss J. Elizabeth Lawrence, *2d Intermediate*.

Miss F. W. Parrish, *1st Primary*; Miss Frances E. Vincent, *2d Primary*; Miss —— Wendell, *2d Intermediate*.

**Third Ward School.**

N. Conover, *1st Intermediate*; Miss Belle M. Gifford, *2d Intermediate*. Miss Hattie Root, *1st Primary*; Miss M. Garvin, *2d Primary*.

**Fourth Ward School.**

J. Faude, *1st Intermediate*; Miss L. A. Whitaker, *2d Intermediate*. Miss —— Lawrence, *1st Primary*; Miss Mary L. Wright, *2d Primary*.

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**PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.**

COLDWATER GAS-LIGHT COMPANY—Organized 1860. Capital Stock \$25,000. Works and office n. s. Chicago street, between Han-chett and Clay. J. G. Parkhurst, President; R. M. Wilder, Sec'y.

CRIPPEN MILL—Built 1859 by Crippen & Alden; located west end of Pearl St. Now owned by E. R. Clarke. Three run of stone, capable of grinding 200,000 bushels of grain per year. This mill has been thoroughly repaired and refitted during the past year, and is doing an increased amount of business.

COLDWATER STEAM FLOURING MILL.—Built 1847 owned by Alden & Walton, 4 run of stone, 75 horse power engine—capacity for grinding 150 bbls. of flour every 24 hours.

HARRINGTON AND LEVIS—Foundry and Machine Shop—established 1837—does an extensive business. The machinery and job work

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sent out from this establishment compares favorably with any in the country.

"TITUS FOUNDRY"—Established 1854, the business mostly "Jobbing."

BALL & MAUGERS' PLANING MILL.—The new brick building erected by them this season, shows conclusively that they are doing a very large business. They manufacture sash, doors, blinds, etc.

WHITCOMB'S Sash, Door, and Blind Factory, situated on West Chicago St. is doing a heavy business.

BLODGETT, BROWN & CO'S Furniture Manufactory is turning out a vast amount of first class Furniture. Factory on Monroe St., near Depot. Henry Harris foreman. Salesroom, 15 Monroe St.

COOPERAGE.—Johnson & Taylor, proprietors. These gentlemen employ from eight to twelve men and manufacture about 20,000 barrels each year.

MOULTON & DICKINSON'S Furniture Manufactory, located S. Hanchett St.

COLDWATER MANUFACTURING COMPANY.—This establishment Does a business of about \$200,000 per year.

S. C. ROSE, President.

L. E. ROSE, Sec'y and Treas.

E. W. MARKHAM, Sup't.

A. A. PHILBRICK & BROTHER'S Carriage and Wagon Factory.  
*This establishment is doing a large and increasing business.*

THE COLDWATER WHEELBARROW FACTORY was established by W. H. Stevens in 1862, who began with a capital of \$800, using a 4-horse power engine, and employing one hand. The business rapidly increased until, in 1867, the building with about \$10,000 in manufactured goods and material was destroyed by fire. The factory was promptly rebuilt and now employs during the busy season about 20 hands, and turns out from 6000 to 8000 wheelbarrows annually, which are shipped over the Southern and Western States and Territories. As far South as Georgia, West to Kansas, and East as far as New York city.

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## COLDWATER BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

### A

- AMERICAN BUTTON-HOLE OVERSEAMING SEWING MACHINE, Mrs. A. ROGERS, AGENT, 13 Chi., up sts. (see advt.)  
Alden, Isaac, prop'r. Coldwater city mills, cor. Jeff. and Pearl.  
ALGER, I. P., physician and surgeon, office and res. cor. Marshall and Church.  
ANDERSON, J. & SON, MARBLE WORKS, 76 Chi. (see advt.)  
ALLEN & MILES, (dealers in dry goods, groceries, etc.) Chi. st., (see advt.)

### B

- BROCKWAY, M., BARBER, 16 Chi. st., up sts. (see advt.)  
BAKER, Dr. H., DENTIST AND PHOTOGRAPHER, 18 Chi. (see advt.)  
Bailey, H. C., hides, leather and findings, 20 Chi.  
BOOKLASS & SWAFFIELD, OPERATIVE TAILORS, cor. Chi. and Mon. (see advt.)  
Blye, Mrs. M. R., millinery and fancy goods, 35 Chi.  
Bowen, W. J., attorney, 31 Chi.  
Baker, Miss S. F., physician, 44 Chi., up sts.  
Barber, J. S., assessor int. rev., 14 Chi., up sts.  
Benton, C. P., asst. assessor int. rev., 14 Chi., up sts.  
BLODGETT & BROWN, FURNITURE AND UNDERTAKING, 15 Monroe. (see advt.)  
BUCKLAND, FRANK, physician and surgeon, 33 Chi.  
BURR, C. H., produce merchant, Monroe, opp. postoffice.  
BALL & MAUGER, sash, doors, and blinds, cor. Chi. and Clay. (see advt.)  
Bagley, Aaron, shoemaker, Chi., E. of Square.  
Burns, W. C. & Co., axes and edge tools, Hudson, 3d door S. of Chi.  
BRIGGS, F. A. & Co., FOUNDRY, Division, S. of R. R. (see advt.)  
BOLSTER HOUSE, Wm. A. Bolster, prop., opp. depot.

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- BEECH, J. H., physician and surgeon, E. side Square.  
 Bair & Rifenburg, blacksmiths, Hanchett.  
 BROOKINS, J. H., CARRIAGE TRIMMER, cor. Chi. and Jackson. (see advt.)  
 BOWERMAN, T. H., CARRIAGE AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING, cor. Chi. and Jackson. (see advt.)  
 BOWEN, M. S., attorney, northeast cor. Chi. and Monroe.  
 BISSELL, F. M., county clerk, office court house.  
 BUTTON, J. F., farrier, Hanchett, bet. Taylor and Grand. (see advt.)

**C**

- Clarke & Parsons, farm machinery.  
 COLDWATER SENTINEL, Gibson Brothers, publishers and proprietors. (see advt.)  
 Chaddock Bros., hardware, 11 Chi.  
 Cook, Miss J., millinery, 23 Chi.  
 COLDWATER REPUBLICAN, BOWEN, DUNHAM & MOORE, PUBLISHERS, 41 Chi. (see advt.)  
 COOK & BROADHEAD, GROCERIES & CROCKERY, 49 Chi. (see card.)  
 Curtis, E. S., billiard hall, 20 Chi.  
 Coldwater Manufacturing Co., west of R. R. depot. S. C. Rose, president; L. E. Rose, sec'y and treas.; E. W. Markham, supt.  
 CLARKE, E. R. & Co., DRUGGISTS AND GROCERS, northeast cor. Chi. and Monroe. (see advt.)  
 Crippen Mills, E. R. Clarke, prop., west end Pearl.  
 COLDWATER NATIONAL BANK, H. C. Lewis, pres.; D. B. Dennis, vice pres.; Geo. Starr, cashier; cor. Chi. and Monroe. (see advt.)  
 CHANDLER, ALBERT, HARDWARE, 38 Chi. (see advt.)  
 CULVER, E. & SONS, druggists and grocers, 42 Chi.  
 CORNWELL, C. T., photographer, 46 Chi.  
 CHANDLER, JNO., postmaster.  
 Cooper, Perry, baker and tobacco dealer, Monroe, opp. postoffice.  
 COLDWATER STEAM MARBLE WORKS, J. ANDERSON & SON, props. (see advt.)  
 Crawford, Miss A., millinery, Chi., 2 doors east of square.  
 COLLAR, T., buggies and wagons, Jackson.

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CONOVER, J. S., PENMAN AND PUBLISHER, 19 Chi. (see advt.)

CUTTER, S. S., physician and surgeon, cor. Chi. and Monroe.

Chadsey, H., blacksmith, Hudson.

Coldwater Gaslight Co., J. G. Parkhurst, pres. ; R. M. Wilder, sec.

CRANDALL, BATHRICK & ROOKS, SHINGLES, SPOKES,  
HUBS, &c., Clay, south of R. R.

Crandall, N. H. saw mill, Division, south of R. R.

## D

Detective Association of Michigan ; D. N. Green, pres. ; A. Halsted, sec'y ; No. 1 masonic block.

DICKINSON, WEBB & Co., dry goods, etc., 7 Chi.

DAVIS SEWING MACHINE, C. J. MANVEL, AGENT, 12 Chi.  
(see advt.)

DAVIS, D. H., BOOKS, STATIONERY, &c., 18 Chi. (see advt.)

Drake, R. H., boots and shoes, 20 Chi.

DENNIS & STARR, insurance agents at Coldwater national bank.  
(see advt.)

DIBBLE, CHARLES, DRY GOODS AND CARPETS, 46 Chi.  
(see advt.)

Day & Lincoln, dealers in walnut lumber, 21 Chi.

DENIS, WM. B., city restaurant, Monroe.

DEVENS, S. L., constable, 13 Monroe.

DECKER, G. M., AUCTION AND COMMISSION, cor. Chi. and  
Hanchett. (see advt.)

Dunn & Wolcott, blacksmiths, Hanchett.

DORRANCE, A. A., INSURANCE AGENT, 5 Chi. (see advt.)

## E

EASTMAN, D. W., AGENT NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL LIFE  
INS. CO., 42 Chi. (see advt.)

Elliott, S. C., wholesale and retail liquors, 72 Chi.

Ellis, D., blacksmith, cor. Chi. and Hudson.

Economical Mutual Benefit Association, D. N. Green, pres. ; A. Hal-  
sted, sec'y ; No. 1 masonic block.

## F

Foreign Exchange and Passage Agency, Rose, Bowen & Rose, 33 Chi.  
FURREY, WM., fine boot maker, 34 Chi. (see advt.)

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Co. of New York. See Adverstisement.**

- FULLER, E. G., attorney, 21 Chi.  
 FOSTER, A. J., groceries and provisions, 16 Chi. (see advt.)  
 FLANDERMYER, H. & BRO., BOOTS AND SHOES, 24 Chi.  
     (see advt.)  
 FLANDERMYER, BROS. & CARLS, wool pullers and sheep skin  
     tanners, Carroll, near Race. (see advt.)  
 FISK, S. W., BOOTS AND SHOES, HATS AND CAPS, 34 Chi.  
     (see advt.)  
 FLETCHER, B. M., PIANOS AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS,  
     Monroe. (see advt.)  
 FOSTER, WM. R., INSURANCE AND TICKET AGENT, rooms  
     9 and 10 Seely's block. (see advt.)  
 Foster, Geo. S. & Co., agricultural implements, north side square.  
 Flynn & Dryden, blacksmiths, 57 Chi.

**G**

- Gibbs & Johnson, harness shop, Monroe, 2 south of Watson House.  
 GREGORY, J. J., REAL ESTATE AGENT, cor. Chi. and Mon-  
     roe. (see advt.)  
 GROVER & BAKER SEWING MACHINE, A. G. STEVENS,  
     AGENT. (see advt.)  
 Golden & Howell, butter and produce, cor. Pearl and Monroe.  
 Green, D. M., judge of probate, court house.  
 Goodell, L. J., refrigerators, cabinet ware, etc., Hanchett.  
 GAGE, WM. M., gunsmith, 21 Monroe.  
 Green, J. E., barber shop, basement, 56 Chi.

**H**

- HALSTED, A. & SON, INSURANCE AGENTS, No. 1 masonic  
     block. (see advt.)  
 Halsted, Barden & Co., real estate office, No. 1, masonic block.  
 HARRINGTON, S. A., CITY BAKERY, 37 Chi. (see advt.)  
 HURLEY & SON, meat market, 10 Chi.  
 HALL, R. E. & SON, watchmakers and jewelers, 18 Chi.  
 HALSTED, L. D., HATS, CAPS, CLOTHING, &c., 36 Chi. (see  
     advt.)  
 HANNAHS, MRS. K. L., DRESS AND CLOAK MAKING, 12  
     Chi. (see advt.)  
 Hull & Watson, meat market, 5 Monroe.

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HOLMES, D. & SON, HARNESS, SADDLES, &c., 41 Chi. (see advt.)

Henning, A., saloon, Monroe.

Henning, Jos., saloon, cor. Chi. and Clay.

HARRINGTON & LEWIS, FOUNDRY AND MACHINE SHOP,  
cor. Chi. and Hudson. (see advt.)

Hawks, J. M., wagon maker, etc., Hudson.

Hann, B. B., grocery and saloon, Clay.

Hill, J. L., liquor dealer, cor. Chi. and Clay.

Holloway & Willets, groceries, 54 Chi.

HALL, J. C., livery, Monroe st., near depot.

## I

IVES, I. C., FARRIER, Clay, bet. Chi. and Pearl. (see advt.)

## J

Johnson, T., groceries and provisions, 49 Chi.

JOHNSON & TAYLOR, Coopers, cor. Jefferson and Pearl.

Jones & Lown, livery, Hanchett, bet. Chi. and Pearl.

Jewett, C. W., blacksmith, 79 Chi.

Jenkins, F., barber, 11 Monroe.

## K

KENT, W. A. & H. W., MARBLE WORKS, Monroe. (see advt.)

Kingsland & Flansburgh, groceries, Chi. east of square.

Kitchel, S. B., attorney, 19 Chi.

Kelly, J., saloon, 61 Chi.

KNAPP & DORRANCE, EAST END DRUG HOUSE, 5 Chi.  
(see advt.)

## L

LYON & MOORE, groceries and provisions, 1 Chi.

Lamb, Capt. J., dealer in varieties and prop. of lung tester,  
“Who'll have another blow?”

LEUBSDORF, B., FANCY GOODS, NOTIONS AND TOYS, 60  
Chi. (see card.)

LEAVITT SEWING MACHINE, MRS. K. L. HANNAHS, agent,  
12 Chi. (see advt.)

LONG, J. M., homeopathic physician, 31 Chi.

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Lochard & McCarty, blacksmiths, 100 Chi.  
 Lauer, Henry, manf. of horse collars, Chi. st. W.  
 Leppke & Son, furniture, Chi., E. of Court House.  
 Leonard & Cook, blacksmiths, Chi. E.  
 Luxmore, S. R., carriage trimmer, 100 Chi.  
 Love, Perry, saloon, Seely's block.  
**LANPHERE, A., LUMBER YARD, cor. Chi. and Clay. (see advt.)**

**M**

**MYERS & GREENWOOD, NEW YORK BAKERY, 29 Chi. (see advt.)**  
 Moulton & Dickinson, furniture dealers, 43 Chi.  
 Milnes, H., & Sons, groceries and provisions, 51 Chi.  
 Montague, J. H., real estate and ins. agent, 21 Chi.  
**MARKHAM, E., HARDWARE, STOVES, &c., 26 Chi. (see advt.)**  
 Morgan, F. E., attorney, rooms 3 and 4 Seely's block.  
 Mockridge, R. F., ag't U. S. Express Co.  
 Miller, L. W., tobacco and cigars and clothes cleaning, Monroe.  
 Maxwell, Wyman, house painting, Cutter ave.  
 Michigan Benefit Association, Justin Lawyer, Pres., S. A. Harrington, Sec. .  
 Mansell, Edwin, gas and steam fittings and drive wells, 74 Chi.  
**MILNES & SMITH, meat market, cor. Chi. and Hanchett.**  
 McLain, Mrs. S. D., millinery, 59 Chi.  
 McNett & McIntyre, blacksmiths, 102 Chi.  
 MARSH, L. C., physician and surgeon, Masonic block.  
**MAUGER, P. W., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL MILLINERY, 44 Chi. (see card.)**

**N**

**NICHOLS, P. P., ABSTRACT AND REAL ESTATE OFFICE, over 7 Chi. (see advt.)**  
 Nettleton, D., hardware, stoves, &c., 45 Chi.  
**NEW YORK BAZAAR, B. LEUBSDORF, PROP., cor. Chi. and Han. (see advt.)**  
 Noyes, O. G., billiard hall, 60 Chi.

**O**

**ORIENTAL HOUSE, Sherman & Sweezey, props., cor. Chi. and Morse.**

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**P**

- PARRISH, T. M., harness, saddles, &c., 3 Chi.  
 PRATT, J. F. & BRO., BOOTS, SHOES AND LEATHER. 17  
     Chi. (see advt.)  
 PURINTON, D. B., justice of peace and dept. U. S. collector, 38  
     Chi.  
 Page, Chas. C., barber, room 11 Seely's block.  
 POWERS, D. C., homœopathic physician, 42 Chi.  
 PARKER, C. C., attorney, rooms 13 and 14 Seely's block.  
 PRATT & CLARK, house and sign painters, Hanchett st.  
 Pratt & Jucket, wagon makers, Chi. E.  
 Pratt & Allen, tannery, Pearl st.  
 PHILBRICK, A. A. & BRO., CARRIAGE FACTORY, cor. Chi.  
     and Jackson. (see advt.)  
 Parsons & Pratt, attorneys, Masonic block.  
 PHILLIPS, H. C., DENTIST, 17 Chi. (see card.)  
 PARKER, M. H., CARPENTER AND BUILDER. (see advt.)

**R**

- Rodman Bros., dry goods, 13 Chi.  
 ROGERS, Mrs. A., DRESS MAKING, 13 Chi., up sts. (see card.)  
 ROSE, BOWEN & ROSE, BANKERS, 31 Chi. (see advt.)  
 ROTH & FREEDMAN, hoop skirts, corsets, &c., 33 Chi.  
 ROSE, BOWEN & ROSE, INSURANCE AGENTS, 31 Chi. (see  
     card.)  
 ROSENBAUM, N., clothing, &c., 22 Chi.  
 REED, R. M., WATCHES, CLOCKS, SILVER WARE, &c., 50  
     Chicago. (see advt.)  
 RAGUE, J. P., groceries and provisions, cor. Pearl and Monroe.  
 Root, E. R., ass't P. M.  
 ROSE, J. A., LUMBER YARD, Monroe. (see card.)  
 Richmond, Mrs. A., millinery and dress making, Chi. st. W.  
 Reik, M., saloon, Chi., W. of Hanchett.  
 RIDER, G. E., NEWS, STATIONERY, PICTURES, &c., cor. Chi.  
     and Mon. (see advt.)

**S**

- SMITH, F. V. & CO., CLOTHING MERCHANTS, 9 Chi. (see  
     advt.)

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SHIVELY, J. W. & W. B., DRY GOODS, &c., 15 Chi. (see advt.)  
 SLOMAN, L., CLOTHING MERCHANT, 23 Chi. (see advt.)  
 SPAULDING, C. A. & CO., dry goods, &c., 41 Chi.  
 SHIPMAN & LOVERIDGE, attorneys ; rooms 5 Seely's block.  
 SKEELS, FRANK L., attorney ; room 5 Seely's block.  
 SMITH & BRO., groceries and crockery, 19 Chi.  
 SOUTHERN MICHIGAN HOTEL, F. L. Warren & Co., W. side  
 square.  
 Sprague, L., attorney ; rooms 13 and 14 Seely's block.  
 Sawyer, W. H., carpenter, cor. Clay and Pearl.  
 SNYDER, A. D. & CO., peddlers' supplies, Chi. st. E.  
 Stevens & Wicks, wheelbarrow factory, Division, S. of R. R.  
 Seely, Frank B., lumber yard, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
 Scott, Wm. B., boot and shoe maker, Monroe.  
 Sherman, F. L., carriages and wagons, Hanchett.  
 Stokes, J., boot and shoe maker, 81 Chi.  
 Shaw & Gilbert, druggists and grocers, cor. Chi. and Monroe.  
 SHERMAN HOUSE, Stephen Paddock, prop., W. Chi. st.  
 Sweet Bros. & Co., dry goods and carpets, 12 Chi. st.

**T**

TRUESELL, J. T. & SON, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS AND  
 PRODUCE, basement, S. M. hotel block. (see advt.)  
 TIBBITS, B. S., tobacco and cigars, 20 Chi.  
 Tinker, A. M., attorney, 36 Chi.  
 THOMPSON, D., attorney ; rooms 3 and 4 Seely's block.  
 TRIPP, JAMES, PHOTOGRAPHER, 22 Chi. (see advt.)  
 TITUS, L. B., foundry and machine shop, cor. Chi. and Hudson.  
 Townsend, M. G., boots and shoes, 40 Chicago st.  
 Taylor's Exchange, S. Taylor, prop., Chi.

**U**

Upson, Hon. C., circuit judge.

**V**

Vincent, S. L., fruits, confectionery, &c., 58 Chicago.  
 Vandenburg & Bro., carpenters and builders, 23 Monroe.  
 Van Valkenburgh, L., livery, west side pub. square.  
 Vannaken, J. H., livery, Monroe st.

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**W**

WHITFORD, GEO. L., eclectic physician, Masonic block.  
 WING, L. M., cigars and tobacco, 23 Chi.  
 WOOLLEY, J. H., DENTIST, cor. Chi. and Monroe. (see advt.)  
 WARREN & WILLSON, grocers, 8 Chi.  
 Woodward, BARBER & CO., DRY GOODS, CARPETS, &c.,  
     14 Chi. (see advt.)  
 Woodward, J. S. & SON, BOOK STORE, 56 Chi. (see advt.)  
 WILSON, L. T. N., attorney; rooms 1 and 2, Seely's block.  
 Weller, G. W., dining hall and saloon, Monroe st.  
 WOLCOTT & JOHNSON, produce dealers, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
 Winter, H. W., saloon, Monroe.  
 WATSON HOUSE, Bridge & Paddock, props., cor. Monroe & Chi.  
 Wilder, E. M., gas and steam fittings, Chi., W. of gas works.  
 Weller & Bro., blacksmiths, Hudson.  
 Whitcomb, John, county treasurer, court house.  
 Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine. M. L. Clark, agent, 7 Chi.  
 Ward, Allen, grocery, cor. Clay and R. R. sts.  
 Whitcomb, Allen & Whitcomb, sash, door and blind factory, and lumber yard, W. Chi.

**Z**

Zucker, Chris., saloon, Clay, near R. R.

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CITY OF COLDWATER.

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Andrews, Mrs. S. W., (wid.) Harrison St., bet. Clay and Hanchett.  
 ANDERSON, JAMES, (J. Anderson & Sons) marble works, Washington St., bet. Hudson and Jefferson. (see advt.)  
 ANDERSON, WM., (J. Anderson & Sons) marble works, Washington St., bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
 ALDEN, ISAAC, Washington St., bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
 Adams, Coonrad, painter, Jefferson, bet. Perkins and Washington.  
 Anderson, M. L., Monroe, south of Washington.  
 Abbott, Wm. H., miller, Monroe, south of Washington.

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ALGER, I. P., physician, cor. Marshall and Church.  
 Atkins, Elijah, cor. Marshall and Taylor.  
**ALLEN, OVID**, Fremont, north of Henry.  
 Adams, George B., painter, Washington, bet. Clay and Monroe.  
 Allen, Artemus, cor. Hudson and Church.  
 Arthur, John, painter, Hudson, bet. Alden and Pierce.  
 Abbott, C. M., carpenter and joiner, Cutter ave.  
 Annis, David, mason, Jefferson, north of Hull.  
 Abbott, C. S., farmer, Marshall.  
 Avery, Horace, traveling salesman, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
 Allen, Wm. H., (of Pratt & Allen, tannery,) cor. Pearl and Polk.  
 Alden, Philander, miller, cor. Pearl and Jay.  
**ALLEN, W. SEWARD**, (Allen & Miles) dry goods, Watson House.  
 (see advt.)  
 Allen, John E., farmer, Jay, south of River.  
 Ammidon, A. A., agent, Division, bet. Pearl and Washington.

**B**

Barden, Byron, broker, cor. Chicago and Hanchett.  
 Barden, Henry, broker, cor. Chicago and Hanchett.  
 Bellamy, Silas, painter, east Hull.  
 Bowen, W. J., (Rose, Bowen & Rose) banker, Morse, north of Chicago.  
 (see advt.)  
**BOOKLASS, WM.**, tailor, Pierce. (see advt.)  
 Brown, J. W., clerk, cor. Washington and Jefferson.  
 Branch, J. B., clerk, cor. Marshall and Alden.  
**BROCKWAY, M.**, barber, cor. Pearl and Jefferson. (see advt.)  
**BARBER, J. S.**, (Woodward, Barber & Co.) Division, bet. Pearl and Washington. (see advt.)  
**BAKER, DR. H.**, dentist, Division, south of Washington. (see advt.)  
 Bailey, H. C., leather dealer, west Pearl.  
 Boles, S. K., (with E. W. Markham) over Reed's jewelry store.  
**BLODGETT, URI**, (Blodgett, Brown & Co.) furniture, Hull, east of Marshall. (see advt.)  
**BROWN, A. R.**, (Blodgett, Brown & Co.) furniture, cor. Washington and Elm. (see advt.)  
**BUCKLAND, FRANK**, physician, Pearl, bet. Monroe and Hanchett.  
 BRIDGE, T. J., prop. Watson house, cor. Chicago and Monroe.

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BURR, C. H., butter dealer, 10 Marshall.  
Ball, Elijah, carpenter, 23 Marshall.  
Ball, Edmund, carpenter, Hudson, north of Hull.  
Ball, Eli, carpenter, 81 Chicago.  
Ball, Wm., carpenter, Hudson, north of Hull.  
Buel, L., (Sherman house) west Chicago.  
Burt, R. J., Hanchett, bet. Harrison and Taylor.  
Bagley, Aaron, cor, Washington and Hudson.  
Burns, W. C., Hudson, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Burns, Jesse, Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Hudson.  
Bushnell, H. B., blacksmith, 27 Marshall.  
BOLSTER, WM. A., prop. Bolster's hotel, Monroe.  
Bathrick, Daniel, Clark's addition.  
BURDICK, A. C., produce dealer, cor. Chicago and Jefferson.  
Babbitt, E. M., Chicago, east of Hudson.  
Birdsell, Spencer, moulder, cor. Pearl and Sprague.  
Burr, Samuel, produce buyer, 50 Pearl.  
Bradley, J. L., Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
BISSELL, FRANK, county clerk, cor. Pearl and Jefferson.  
Baker, Hiram, cooper, Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Hudson.  
Brower, N., produce dealer, cor. Washington and Hudson.  
Brooks, Jesse, Washington, 2 doors east of Hudson.  
Bates, Nathan, produce dealer, 15 Washington.  
Brown, J. G., gunsmith, Washington, east of Jefferson.  
Buffham, J. G., carpenter, Washington, east of Jefferson.  
Bates, Myron, painter, 35 Washington.  
Briggs, E. M., farmer, Washington, bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
Bull, Mrs. R., Division, south of Washington.  
Bair, J. H., blacksmith, Perkins, east of Jefferson.  
Baker, Wm., laborer, Perkins, east of Jefferson.  
Burrows, A. R., cabinet ware finisher, cor. Pearl and Jefferson.  
Burns, Wm., chair maker, cor. Hudson and Railroad.  
Bullis, Hiram, Railroad, bet. Jefferson and Hudson.  
Behse, Charles, tanner, Jefferson, south of Railroad.  
Beeve, Solomon, carpenter, 21 Marshall.  
Benton, C. P., assistant assessor, 47 Marshall.  
BEECH, DR. J. H., Chicago, 1st door east of Public Square.  
Barnes, Nathaniel, cabinet maker, 48 Marshall.

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- Belknap, L. D., carriage ironer, Montgomery.  
Bedford, A., carriage maker, Alden.  
Ball, Mrs. H., Alden.  
Bullard, S. T. F., produce dealer, Grand.  
Buckley, J. H., park garden, Battle Creek.  
BROOKINS, J. A., carriage trimmer, Chicago, bet. Jeff. and Morse.  
BOWERMAN, T. H., painter, Grand, opp. Clinton ave.  
Bovee, David, cor. Chicago and Jefferson.  
Bassett, L., jeweler, 18 Grand.  
Bassett, N. E., carpenter and joiner, Montgomery.  
Butt, Mrs. M., (wid.) Pierce, bet. Hudson and Morse.  
Bennett, Charles, farmer, Smith, east of Morse.  
Butler, Leroy, laborer, Smith, east of Morse.  
Bugbee, ——, laborer, Smith, east of Morse.  
Bacon, A. W., cooper, Cutter ave.  
Bingham, Wm. S., Cutter ave., east of Morse.  
Bingham, A. R., ins. agent, Cutter ave., east of Morse.  
Bingham, W. F., ins. agent, Cutter ave., east of Morse.  
Brown, N. C., mason, Cutter ave.  
Bennett, D., pattern maker, Cutter ave.  
Burton, P. G., cor. Church and Jefferson.  
Bull, B. B., carpenter, Jefferson, bet. Church and Hull.  
Brow, S. C., drayman, Hull, bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Boon, G. O., salesman, boards cor. Pearl and Jackson.  
BRIGGS, F. A., (F. A. Briggs & Co.) foundry, Jefferson, bet. Perkins and Railroad. (see advt.)  
Bates, Wm., mechanic, Hull, bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Bullard, Mrs. C., Church, bet. Hudson and Morse.  
Batchelder, Nat., cor. Jefferson and Church.  
Boyden, W. N., painter, "Oriental House," Chicago.  
Bowen, O. A., bank clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
    arney, Henry, barber, with Page, Monroe, south Chicago.  
    ryan, Wm., farmer, Hanchett, bet. Taylor and Chicago.  
BUT N, JOHN F., farrier, Hanchett, south of Taylor. (see advt.)  
Brett, Mary, Hanchett.  
    ullock, Adeline, Clay, bet. Chicago and Harrison.  
Barnes, A. G., carpenter, Clay, south of Clinton ave.  
Bates, D., carpenter and joiner, Harrison, bet. Pierson and Fremont.

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Barnard, George, blacksmith, west Chicago.  
Bair, Isaac C., carpenter, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
Bach, John, tinsmith, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
Bennett, Wm., traveling salesman, west Pearl.  
Butterworth, J., retired merchant, 47 Chicago.  
Bagley, Aaron J., shoemaker, Chicago.  
Bodman, Samuel, boarding house, Chicago, west of Clay.  
Barber, Elisha, traveling salesman, Chicago, bet. Fremont and Walnut.  
Brundage, Geo. W., produce dealer, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
Ballard, Geo. W., woolen factory, Chicago, (Masonville.)  
Baker, A., blacksmith, Fremont, south of Pearl.  
Burtsch, James, laborer at oil mill, Jackson.  
Bridge, L. R., at Watson House, cor. Chicago and Monroe.  
Blye, Mrs. M. R., millinery, Watson House.  
Blye, W. A., clerk in millinery store, Watson House.  
Blye, Frank M., clerk in millinery store, Watson House.  
Brick, Andrew, laborer, Jackson.  
Bigford, S. B., restaurant, Clay, south.  
BENNETT, J., H., physician, Washington, west of Monroe.  
BOWEN, M. S., lawyer, Chicago east.  
Buck, Lewis, carpenter, Washington, west of Monroe.  
Bowker, Geo. W., constable and collector, Clay south.  
Bolster, John, Bolster House.  
Bolster, Dwight, Bolster House.  
BEMISS, D., supt. city schools, Church, bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Bauter, L. F., teacher central building, boards on Montgomery.  
BRODHEAD, HOWARD, (Cook & Brodhead) grocer, boards near  
Battle Creek.

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Clarke, M. L., sewing machine agent, Marshall, bet. Alden and Mont-  
gomery.  
Chaddock, J. W., (Chaddock Bros.) hardware, cor. Chicago and Jef-  
ferson.  
Chaddock, C. J., (Chaddock Bros.) hardware, S. M. Hotel.  
Cohen, H., (with Rodman Bros.) Marshall, near Pres. church.  
Culp, J. W., traveling salesman, cor. Church and Hudson.  
Culp, Jason, clerk, S. M. Hotel.

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Collar, Edwin, printer, Chicago, opp. Sherman House.  
COOK, DEWITT, (Cook & Brodhead) grocer, Grand. (see advt.)  
Crippen, M. A., retired merchant, cor. Hull and Hudson.  
Curtis, E. S., billiard saloon, Harrison, bet. Clay and Hanchett.  
Carls, Herman, tannery, Jefferson, south of Pearl.  
CLARKE, E. R., (E. R. Clarke & Co.) druggist, Chicago east.  
CHANDLER, ALBERT, hardware merchant, southeast cor. of Pearl  
and Jackson. (see advt.)  
CULVER, E., (Culver & Sons) cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
CORNWELL, C. T., photographer, Marshall, bet. Hull and Pierce.  
CHAMPION, N., with Charles Dibble, dry goods, junction Clay and  
Battle Creek.  
Chandler, John, postmaster, Grand, near Marshall.  
Cooper, Perry, baker, Monroe, bet. Washington and railroad.  
Conger, G. F., clerk in lumber yard, cor. Morse and Cutter ave.  
Culp, Nicholas, Jefferson, bet. Church and Hull.  
CLARK, I. M., painter, cor. Pierce and Hudson.  
Cook, Daniel, Pearl, east of Jefferson.  
CONOVER, J. S., penman and publisher, 124 Chicago.  
Conover, N. teacher third ward, 38 Marshall.  
Conover, A. E., penman, 38 Marshall.  
CUTTER, DR. S. S., physician and surgeon, cor. Division and Wash-  
ington.  
Chadsey, H., blacksmith, Hudson, north of Chicago.  
Cooley, Rev. E., pastor Methodist church, Marshall.  
Crandall, Norman, Division, south of railroad.  
Cassady, S. J., Mrs., Elm, bet. Pearl and Washington.  
Cornwell, Benjamin, mason, 55 Washington.  
Cross, Cornelius, brick maker, cor. Washington and Elm.  
Caufman, Chris., Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Hudson.  
Crippen, Mrs. E., widow, cor. Pearl and Hudson.  
Clark, O. B., cor. Division and Washington.  
CLARK, HENRY, lawyer, Washington, east of Division.  
Cook, Wm., butcher, Hudson, bet. Pearl and Washington.  
Cole, Job, carpenter, 44 Washington.  
Conklin, D. H., carpenter, 47 Washington.  
Chapman, George, cooper, 37 Washington.

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Cook, Henry, butcher, cor. Hudson and Perkins.  
Canan, Charles E., miller, 36 Jefferson.  
Canright, George, carpenter, Division, south of Washington.  
Cook, Albert, carpenter, Railroad.  
Colonan, Mrs. H., east Railroad.  
Clair, Hiram, laborer, Jefferson, south of Railroad.  
Chonhart, G., laborer, Division, south of Railroad.  
Carm, Mrs. P., widow, Division, south of Railroad.  
Clark, G. W., brewer, 47 Marshall.  
Cary, William B., farmer, 44 Marshall.  
Culver, George S., cooper, 60 Marshall.  
Cornell, S. V., Alden.  
Cole, T., 12 Grand.  
COOMBS, WM. A., farmer, Pierce, 1st east of Marshall.  
Crippen, Mrs. J. B., Church.  
Coppin, Thomas, carpenter, Morse, bet. Montgomery and Pierce.  
Conger, Mrs., cor. Morse and Clinton ave.  
Curly, John, gardner, Cutter ave.  
Cunningham, Thomas, moulder, Cutter ave.  
Crippen, Bradley, physician, Cutter ave.  
Crandall, E., plow factory, Cutter ave.  
Clark, Amos, drover, Oriental House.  
Carmy, J. B., hackman, Oriental House.  
Cook, George, carpenter, Chicago, east Oriental.  
Creore, A. J., clerk at S. M. Hotel.  
Chandler, Robert G., hardware clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
Crippen, Philo H., retired merchant, Monroe, south of Chicago.  
Culver, George, (Culver & Sons), Hanchett.  
Culver, Jay, (Culver & Sons), Hanchett.  
CUDNER, AUGUSTUS A., carpenter and joiner, Clinton ave., south side.  
Cushman, Don P., prop. feed stable, Clinton ave., south side.  
Cahill, Owen, laborer, Pierson.  
Cavanaugh, Patrick, railroad laborer, Taylor, bet. Pierson and Clay.  
Cunningham, Ellen, widow, Henry, bet. Pierson and Fremont.  
Condon, Michael, laborer, Henry, bet. Pierson and Fremont.  
Cunningham, Patrick, drayman, cor. Pierson and Henry.  
Currier, Josiah, cor. Harrison and Pierson.

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Collar, H. H., window shade maker, cor. Harrison and Pierson.  
 Condon, Stephen, track master, Harrison, bet. Pierson and Clay.  
 Cole, J. M., clerk with L. D. Halsted, Harrison bet. Pierson and Fre.  
 Cleaveland, W. W., laborer, Henry.  
 Crippen, Jay D., laborer, Chicago, bet. Fremont and Polk.  
 Colvin, I. M., farmer, west Chicago.  
 Conklin, Mrs. C., widow, west Chicago.  
 Conklin, Albert A., wool carder, west Chicago.  
 Crippen, Ruth H., widow, cor. Chicago and Pierson.  
 Champion, John R., atty. at law, Pearl, bet. Clay and Jackson.  
 Catlin, Eli D., traveling agent mower and reaper, Pearl bet. Fremont  
     and Jackson.  
 Carlton, James, carpenter, Pearl bet. Fremont and Polk.  
 Crosswait, Mary E., widow, cor. Pearl and Fremont.  
 COLLAR, THOMAS, wagon maker, Chicago, opp. Sherman House.  
 Coe, Rhoda M., widow, cor. Chicago and Fremont.  
 Chapman, D., ice dealer, Chicago bet. Fremont and Polk.  
 Chandler, A. F., hardware clerk, Jackson south of Pearl.  
 Chandler, R. R., hardware clerk, Jackson south of Pearl.  
 Cole, David, laborer, Chicago bet. Fremont and Polk.  
 Canfield, Charles, wagon maker, Jackson south of Pearl.  
 Comstock, Levi, R. R. engineer, Race.  
 Clair, Charles, cooper, Washington bet. Monroe and Wash.  
 Case, Horace, carpenter, cor. Branch road and Jay street.

## D

DORRANCE, A. A., (Knapp & Dorrance), duggists, Grand, south  
     of Taylor.(see advt.)  
 DICKINSON, T. W., merchant, dry goods, cor. Marshall and Pierce.  
 DeClute, C. H., clerk with F. V. Smith & Co., clothiers, Jeff. bet.  
     Pearl and Wash.  
 Driggs, S. W., foreman *Sentinel* office, Morse near Smith.  
 DUNHAM, VAN, publisher *Republican*, S. M. Hotel.  
 DICKINSON, H., furniture dealer, Monroe S. Chicago. (see advt.)  
 DAVIS, D. H., bookseller, Hanchett bet. Taylor and Clinton ave.  
     (see advt.)  
 Drake, R. H., boot and shoe merchant, Monroe, south of Washington.  
 DENNIS, D. B., banker, cor. Chicago and Pierson.  
 Dudley, E. M., boot and shoe dealer, Watson House.

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DIBBLE, CHARLES, dry goods merchant, north Clay. (see advt.)  
DICKENSON, A. B., proprietor S. M. Hotel, Chicago.  
DEVENS, S. L., constable.  
DECKER, G. M., auctioneer, south Clay.  
Dickens, Samuel, grocer, Chicago, near Clay.  
Denio, William B., proprietor restaurant, 13 Monroe.  
Devins, E. J., dealer in patent rights, 32 Chicago.  
Dawson, Michael, well digger, Race.  
Demarest, D. U., cooper, 52 Pearl.  
Dorrety, Mrs., cor. Pearl and Elm.  
Davis, Martha, Washington bet. Division and Hudson.  
Darrow, Silas, cabinet maker, Elm bet. Perkins and Washington.  
Davis, Emory, farmer, Monroe south of Washington.  
Davenport, Benjamin, laborer, Perkins bet. Elm and Hudson.  
Denner, J. R., at depot, south of Railroad.  
Dunn, C. S., blacksmith, Watson House.  
Dryden, P., blacksmith, west Chicago.  
Denison, S. M., carpenter and joiner, 58 Marshall.  
Doty, O. J., shoemaker, east Cutter ave.  
Dumon, George, Morse, north of Hull.  
Dorrity, Thomas, Chicago east of Jefferson.  
Dunks, E. H., money broker, cor. Monroe and Taylor.  
Darling, Daniel, tinner, with Chandler, cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
Dart, C. J., wheelwright, Grand, north of Clinton ave.  
Davis, L. W., tin peddler, north Clay.  
Doogan, John, laborer, Williams.  
Dehn, Peter, cooper, Mill.  
Denio, D. V., painter, Henry.  
DeHart, Stephen, farmer, Fremont bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Dawson, John, blacksmith, Race.  
Dickens, George, drayman, south Clay.  
Decker, Frank, clerk, south Clay.  
Drawbaugh, William, brick mason, Washington west of Monroe.  
Daggett, John, laborer, south Monroe.  
Devens, Homer, painter.  
Depue, F. H., poet, bds. Cutter ave.

**E**

EASTMAN, D. W., ins agent, Jackson, south of Pearl. (see advt.)

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Security Life Ins. Co. of N. Y. See advertisement.

Elliott, S. C., liquor dealer, 72 Chicago.  
Ewings, Charles, stone cutter, Morse, north of Montgomery.  
Eaton, Franklin, blacksmith, cor. Grand and Alden.  
Ellis, Daniel, blacksmith, Jefferson, north end.  
EDMONDS, C. A., county register, cor. Monroe and Peckham.  
Eggleston, M. H., traveling agent, Monroe, south of Washington.  
Eggleston, Charles E., traveling agent, Monroe, south of Washington.  
Eldred, Giles, produce dealer, Hudson, bet. Washington and Perkins.  
Ewen, D. F., miller, Perkins, east of Jefferson.  
Ebinger, John, hostler, south of railroad.  
Eaton, Mrs., widow, cor. Battle Creek and Alden.  
Ethridge, T. C., insurance agent, Church, bet. Hudson and Jef.  
Eldridge, C. H., farmer, east Chicago.  
Ethridge, Burt, retired merchant, cor. Grand and Taylor.  
Eldridge, A., liquor dealer, Hanchett, north of Chicago.  
Eldred, Job, laborer, Chicago.  
Early, Michael, railroad laborer, south Clay.  
Ellis, George, porter at Bolster House.

## F

Flynn, John T., shoemaker, Chicago, east public square.  
FREEDMAN, J., (Roth & Freedman,) fancy goods dealer, S. M.  
    hotel. (see advt.)  
FULLER, E. G., lawyer, Clay, south of river.  
Foster, A. J., grocer, Grant.  
FLANDERMEYER, F. W., boot and shoe dealer, cor. Hudson and  
    Clark. (see advt.)  
FLANDERMEYER, H., boot and shoe dealer, Peckham. (see advt.)  
FORD, GEORGE D., (E. R. Clarke & Co.,) druggists, cor. Division  
    and Washington.  
FISK, S. W., boot and shoe dealer, Harrison, bet. Hanchett and  
    Clay. (see advt.)  
FURY, WILLIAM, shoemaker, Washington, bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
    (see advt.)  
Ferguson, George, physician, Hudson, bet. Hull and Pierce.  
Firth, George, furniture dealer, Hull.  
FLETCHER, B. M., music dealer, Harrison, bet. Pierson and Fre-  
    mont. (see advt.)

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Franklin, A. C., Clay, south of Pearl.  
FOSTER, WILLIAM R., insurance agent, rooms 9 and 10 Seely's  
block. (see advt.)  
Firth, William A., Alden, bet. Grand and Marshall.  
Foster, George S., Taylor, bet. Clay and Hanchett.  
Foster, David, merchant, Church.  
Fisk, J. W. D., farmer, Chicago east.  
Fisk, James, farmer, Chicago east.  
Finney, D. S., upholsterer, cor. Washington and Elm.  
Fanning, Chester, tinner, Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
Foland, Hiram, machinist, 36 Washington.  
Field, John, carpenter, Monroe, south of Washington.  
Ferguson, Charles, laborer, 9 Railroad.  
Fox, D., carpenter, Chicago, west of Mill.  
Flynn, James, blacksmith, Jackson, south of Pearl.  
Faurot, C. W., shoemaker, Hudson, north of Hull.  
Franks, George, laborer, east Cutter ave.  
Fuller, David, carpenter, Jefferson, north of Chicago.  
Felt, Aaron, carpenter, Hull.  
Ferguson, Abram, laborer, Morse.  
Fyler, H. A., dry goods clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
Fitzpatrick, John, mason, Taylor.  
Fonda, Charles L., farmer, Polk.  
Fisk, John P., carpenter, Henry.  
Faber, William, plasterer, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Faude, Philip, shoemaker, Chicago, west of Mill.  
Fellows, David, Walnut.  
Franklin, Alfred, harness maker, south Clay.  
Fairbanks, F. A., produce broker, Washington, west of Monroe.  
Fisk, Luther, farmer, south Clay.  
Filkins, J. E., carpenter, Clay, south of river.  
Filkins, Eliza, Clay, south of river.  
Filkins, J. C., carpenter, Clay, south of river.

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Gilbert, Alvin.  
Gilcrest, W. H. (E. R. Clarke & Co.) druggists, bds. S. M. Hotel.  
Gibson, E. J., (Gibson Brothers,) Editor *Sentinel*. Monroe south of  
Wash. (See advt.)

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Co. of New York. See Adverstisement.

- Gibson, W. H., (Gibson Brothers;) Editor *Sentinel*, Monroe, south of Wash.  
Gregory, R. K., Farmer, Morse.  
Groul, Samuel, bricklayer, Hudson.  
Grow, A. R., farmer, Branch Road bet. Clay and Jay.  
GREENWOOD, GEORGE, (Myres & Greenwood) N. Y. Bakery, Grand. (see advt.)  
Gage H., cutter at Rosenbaum's, Clark bet. Div and Hudson.  
Gilbert, John T., (E. R. Clarke & Co.) cor Grand and Union.  
GREGORY, J. J., real estate agent, Fremont bet. Chi. and Henry.  
(see advt.)  
GAGE, WILLIAM M., gunsmith, 21 Monroe.  
Golden, W. N., produce dealer. Clay, s. of Wash.  
GREEN, D. N., Judge Probate, Jeff. s. of R. R.  
Genner, Mr., laborer, Jefferson bet. Pearl and Wash.  
Greenleaf, A. B. Carpenter, 29 Wash,  
Gibbs, Mrs., widow, Perkins.  
Grosse, A., hotel proprietor, s. of depot.  
Green, Thomas, laborer, bds. at Grosse.  
Gray, L. M., street sprinkler, Montgomery, bet. Grand and Wash.  
Giles, E. F., general insurance agent, Montgomery.  
Goodell, Lyman, Carpenter, Grand.  
Gilerist, Mrs. M. C. (widow) Chicago west of Jefferson.  
Gilbert, Mrs. S. Union, bet. Grand and Marshall.  
Grigware, Alick, laborer, east Cutter ave.  
Grinnell, A. J., horticulturist, east Chicago.  
Glessner, A. G., superintendent poor, east Chicago.  
Gratton, Mr., laborer, cor. Wright and Cutter ave.  
Gilbert, S. W., druggist, Division south of Wash.  
Goodell Mary, widow, Grand.  
Gilbert, William S., farmer, cor. Fremont and Harrison.  
Garra, James, laborer, Harrison.  
Graham, C., laborer, Clay, west Clinton Ave.  
Green, David, Henry.  
Green, J. E., barber, Monroe, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Gilmore, Eli, cooper, west Chicago.  
Greenwood, Richard, speculator, Pearl bet. Walnut and Fremont.  
Gamby, John, laborer, Polk, south of Pearl.

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Godfrey, Truman M., speculator, Chicago west of Fremont.  
Greenwood, Job, painter, Jackson south of Pearl.  
Greenwood, R., clerk, Jackson, south of Pearl.  
Gray, John, Gardner, Jackson, south of Pearl.  
Grove, Cassius, druggist, cor. Chicago and Polk.  
Greenwood, John, laborer, Railroad.  
Gambee, Samuel, R. R. engineer, Race.  
Gibbs, Lucinda, widow, south Clay.  
Grove, L. W., grain thresher, Wash. west of Monroe.

## H

HALSTED, A., Ins. agt., Grand, near Marshall. (see advt.)  
HALSTED, W. H. H., city clerk, Grand, near Marshall. (see advt.)  
Howe, G. S., dry goods clerk, Clinton Ave.  
Houghtaling, E. A., shoemaker, Monroe, bet. Wash. and Peckham.  
HARRINGTON, S. A., bakery, 37 Chicago. (see advt.)  
Herbert, L. R., S. M. hotel.  
HURLEY, A., meat market, Hull bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
HURLEY, GEORGE, meat market, Grand.  
Hadley, H. H., retired grocer, Grand.  
HALL, R. E., jeweler, Monroe south of Wash. (see advt.)  
HALL, R. A., (R. E. Hall & Son, jewelers) Monroe S. of Wash. (see  
advt.)  
HALSTED, L. D., clothier, Pearl west of Jackson.  
Hale, L. F., retired merchant, Pearl, bet. Clay and Jackson.  
Holoway, E., grocer, cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
HANNAHS, MRS. KATE G., dress maker (over Sweet's store, see  
advt.)  
Hawkins, B. F., fruit dealer, Townsend block.  
Hull, H. P., butcher, Pearl bet. Monroe and Division.  
Howell, C. H., produce dealer, 18 Hanchett bet. Chicago and Taylor.  
HOLMES, D., (Holmes & Son, harness shop) Monroe N. of Chicago.  
(see advt.)  
HOLMES, E., (Holmes & Son, harness shop) west Cutter Ave. (see  
advt.)  
Henning, A., saloon keeper, cor. Pearl and Hanchett.  
Henning, James, saloon keeper, cor. Chicago and Clay.

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HARRINGTON, D. S., (Harrington & Lewis foundery,) Chicago bet.  
Jeff. and Morse. (see advt.)

Hawks, J. M., wagon maker, Division.

HARRIS, D. S., miller, Jefferson bet. Pearl and Chicago.

Hyde, Mrs., Chicago east of Jefferson.

Huller, George A., joiner, Chicago, east of Jefferson.

Hunt, John G., carpenter, Elm, bet. Pearl and Wash.

Hard, Mrs., cor. Pearl and Hudson.

Hartwell, J. J., barber, Division bet. Wash. and Pearl.

Harris, Wm. H., carpenter, cor. of Elm and Perkins.

Harris, Henry, cabinet maker, Elm bet. Wash. and Perkins.

Hudson, Samuel, laborer, Division south of Wash.

Hall Andrew, laborer, Division south of Wash.

Howe, Mrs., wid., Perkins east of Jefferson.

Hudson, Henry, Tanner, Perkins east of Jefferson.

Hurly, John., laborer, Perkins east of Jefferson.

Hobbs, Benjamin, joiner, Jeff. bet. Perkins and Railroad.

Holway, Daniel, Division bet. Clark and Railroad.

Hummel, Lorenz, carver cabinet ware, Jeff. south of Perkins.

Hunt, William, laborer, bds. at Grosse House.

Hayes, James A., teamster, 51 Marshall.

Hurst, William, harness maker, 12 Montgomery.

Hurst, David A., peddler, Montgomery.

Hurst, George, gardner, Battle Creek.

Hann, B. B., south Clay.

Hill, J. L., feed store, cor. Monroe and Grand.

Hicok, G., Wash. east of Jefferson.

Holbrook, Harvey, cabinet maker, cor. Hudson and Hull.

Hickey, L. D., teamster, Smith east of Morse.

Hunt, A. V., carpenter, cor. Sprague and Cutter ave.

Hibbard, H. C., mason, 12 Smith.

Hurtel, J. W., music teacher, Smith.

Hutcheson, M. B., farmer, east Cutter ave.

Hickey, E., laborer, Wright bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.

Howard, Marion, teamster, Wright bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.

Harpham, William, mason, east Cutter ave.

Haskins, Mrs. A., Sprague, 1 north of Cutter ave.

Holenbeck, William B., farmer, Cutter avenue, near Morse street.

Holden, Mrs., widow, Sprague bet. Cutter avenue and Smith street.  
Hart, E., painter, Morse, near Chicago.  
Hall, Polaski, laborer, Wright, bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.  
Hall, James J., laborer, Wright, bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.  
Hall, Charles R., laborer, Wright, bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.  
Hunter, C. L., dry goods clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
Hall, A. J., sewing machine agent, Hanchett bet. Chicago and Taylor.  
Hopkins, William J., carpenter, Grand.  
Hunt, Abram, cor. Clay and Taylor.  
Hurlbut, O., painter, Williams.  
Harris, Ransom, produce dealer, Williams.  
Hammond, Alpheus, farmer, Fremont.  
Hammond, Irus, farmer, Fremont.  
Hammond, Lorenzo, farmer, Fremont.  
Harly, William, teamster, Harrison.  
Hawly, George, at W. A. & W. sash factory, Chicago west of Polk.  
Hyde, E., life ins. agent, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Hall, James, clergyman, Battle Creek.  
Hiscock, Orrin, farmer, Battle Creek.  
Holland, Anthony, farmer, Battle Creek.  
Houghtaling, D. H., shoemaker, bds. cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
Harrington, H. M., cadet West Point, 37 Chicago.  
Harmon, Peter, laborer, Race.  
Holcomb, Luther, peddler, Race.  
Hann, William B., laborer, cor. Clay and Race.  
Harrison, Thomas, proprietor restaurant, south Clay.  
Harmon, R. S., laborer, south Clay.  
Hasse, Henry, laborer, Jackson.  
Hicks, C. A., carpenter, south Clay.  
Hann, Austin, south Clay.  
HALL, J. C., proprietor livery stable, Monroe, near Bolster House.  
Harmon, R., horticulturist, Clay, south River.  
Hawks, Albert, clerk with Albert Chandler, hardware, s.w. cor. Pearl  
and Jackson,  
Hill, Dr., office and residence Clay north of Taylor.

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Ives, Edward, carpenter, Division, south of Wash.

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Ide, E. M., painter, bds. at Oriental.

Ives, John, carpenter, Clay south of Pearl.

IVES, I. C., FARRIER, cor. Pearl and Clay. (see advt.)

### J

Johnson, George P., harness maker, north Jefferson.

Johnson, T., grocer, 49 Chicago.

Johnson, G. W., Washington, west of Monroe.

Johnson, L. B., sheriff, Pearl bet. Jefferson and Elm.

Johnson, F. P., traveling salesman, Washington bet. Jefferson & Elm.

Juckett, William, Fremont north of Henry.

Johnson, L. L., ticket agent, Monroe near depot.

Jenkins, F. R., barber, 46 Battle Creek.

Jackson, A., produce buyer, 48 Battle Creek.

Jones, H. M., shoemaker, Montgomery.

Jones, William J., shoemaker, Montgomery.

Jones, C. B., proprietor livery stable, cor. Pearl and Jackson.

Jewett, C. W., blacksmith, Chicago, west of Clay.

Johnson, S. F., farmer, Smith near Morse.

Johnson, S., laborer, west Cutter ave.

Jones, H. F., laborer, cor. Polk and Henry.

Johnson, C. W., cooper, Chicago west of Polk.

Johnson, Albert, expressman, cor. Pearl and Polk.

Johnson, Sarah E., widow, cor. Pearl and Jay.

Johnson, Charles G., cor. Chicago and Polk.

Johnson, John, tanner, Walnut south of Pearl.

Jones, Sarah, widow, Jackson south of Pearl.

June, C. B., teamster, Race.

Jackson, Clark, engineer at oil mill, south Clay.

### K

KNAPP, J. B., (Knapp & Dorrance,) druggists, cor. Jefferson and Church. (see advt.)

KENT, W. A., marble cutter, Monroe south of Peckham. (see advt.)

Knowlton, William A., mechanic, 120 Chicago.

Keech, M. M., peddler, Cutter ave.

Kingsland, J. S., cor. Clark and Hudson.

Keller, W. B., (Snyder & Co.,) 93 Chicago.

Kerby, H., laborer, east Chicago.

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Keech, J. B., carpenter, 25 Washington.  
 Keely, John, laborer, Perkins east of Jefferson.  
 Kempe, Frederick, tanner, Jefferson east of Railroad.  
 Kaltz, G., laborer, boards at Grosse House.  
 Kelly, J. A., turner, Marshall north of Alden.  
 Knowlton, E., farmer, Marshall, north end.  
 Kibbe, C. V. L., speculator, west Chicago.  
 Kent, John, lumberman, S. M. Hotel.  
 Korby, Philip, shoemaker, Clay north of Clinton ave.  
 KRICHBAUM, JOHN, meat market, Clay north end.  
 Korst, Cornelius, Catholic priest, Harrison bet. Clay and Pierson.  
 Kennedy, Jean, brewer, cor. Chicago and Polk.  
 Knapp, Isaac, Chicago bet. Pierson and Fremont.  
 Kibbe, Rufus, physician, Pearl bet. Monroe and Clay.  
 Knowlton, William T., works in sash factory, Chi. bet. Polk and Jay.  
 Keppler, George, brewer, west Chicago, Masonville.  
 Knapp, Philip, cabinet maker, Jackson.  
 Kelley, John, laborer, Race.  
 Kennedy, Hugh, railroad laborer, Race.  
 Kyte, William G., laborer, Clay.  
 Kelley, James, saloon keeper, south Clay.  
 Kitcham, John G., roof and walk builder, Monroe south of Peckham.  
 KENT, H. W., marble cutter, Bolster House. (see advt.)

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LYON, E. D., Grocer, Hull bet. Jefferson and Hudson. (see advt.)  
 LANPHERE, A. T., attorney at law, Jackson.  
 Lodds, George, Pearl bet. Jackson and Walnut.  
 LEWIS, H. C., banker, n.e. cor. Chicago and Hudson.  
 Love, Perry, saloon keeper, Chicago west.  
 LOVERIDGE, N. P., lawyer, cor. Chicago and Sprague.  
 LONG, J. M., physician, cor. Chicago and Walnut.  
 LANPHIR, A., lumber dealer, cor. Chicago and Hanchett. (see advt.)  
 Lanphir, E. O., speculator, cor. Chicago and Clay.  
 Lanphir, Charles T., life ins. agent, cor. Alden and Hudson.  
 Laner, Henry, blacksmith, Fremont south of Pearl.  
 Lochard, Sabin, blacksmith, Grand.  
 Lepke, Samuel, furniture dealer, Division south of Railroad.

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Lepke, Julius, furniture dealer, Division south of Railroad.  
Larzelier, Miss J., Chicago east of public square.  
LEWIS, J. J., (Harrington & Lewis), 51 Marshall north.  
Leonard, Moses, blacksmith, Hudson bet. Wash. and Perkins.  
Luce, B. F., mechanic, east Washington.  
Lamb, J. C., shipper, east Washington.  
Lindsley, Mrs., Pearl bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
Lyman, E. B., cor. Hudson and Washington.  
Leonard, Rev. M., 61 Monroe.  
Linnen, John, tailor, Perkins east of Jefferson.  
Little, Mrs. H., Perkins east of Jefferson.  
Lincoln, George W., farmer, Battle Creek north end.  
Leonard, Sanford, laborer, Montgomery.  
Leonard, Franklin, painter, Montgomery.  
Lyon, E., mason, Battle Creek bet. Alden and Montgomery.  
Levy, E., cigar maker, Alden bet. Battle Creek and Marshall.  
Luxmoore, Samuel R., carriage trimmer, Clay bet. Taylor & Clin. ave.  
Lown, P. C., proprietor livery stable, Clay, bet. Pearl and Wash.  
Lee, L. W., builder, cor. Marshall and Hull.  
LAWRENCE, HENRY N., deputy Co. clerk, Hudson n. Church.  
Lewis, Isaac, farmer, Cutter ave.  
Lee, George W., carpenter, Cutter ave.  
Lamson, Watson, clerk at Oriental House.  
Loomis, C. O., lawyer, S. M. Hotel.  
Lamb, Jabez, salesman, cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
LEUBSDORF, BARNHART, merchant, Clay bet. Chicago and  
Harrison. (see advt.)  
Luce, R. E., mason, Henry.  
Lods, George F., clerk, Pearl west Clay.  
Lang, Leroy, tinner, Pearl west Clay.  
Lawyer, Justin, atty at law, Pearl bet. Monroe and Clay.  
Lyman, Theodore, engineer, Clay bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Lower, Henry, collar maker, west gas works.  
Loyd, Benjamin, laborer, Walnut south Pearl.  
Lilly, Martin, laborer, Jackson.  
Leadders, E. D., clerk, boards at Watson House.

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MOORE, B. R., grocer, cor. Marshall and Union. (see advt.)

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- MARSH, L. C., M. D., Chicago bet. Clay and Jackson.  
Marsh, F. D., clerk, cor. Clay and Harrison.  
Murphy, John, clerk, 29 Marshall.  
Miles, Ives G., retired merchant, Chicago east.  
MILES, CHARLES T., (Allen & Miles), mer. dry goods, Monroe  
bet. Pearl and Wash. (see advt.)  
MYERS, FREDERICK, baker, (Myers & Greenwood) Monroe south of  
Peckham. (see advt.)  
Macary, H. E., clerk, Morse.  
Macary, A. T., engineer, Morse.  
MOORE, WILLIAM, *Publisher Republican*, Division S. of Wash.  
(see advt.)  
Moulton, S. H., furniture dealer, cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
Milnes, H., grocer, Pearl bet. Fremont and Polk.  
Milnes, Alfred, grocer, 51 Chicago.  
Montague, J. H., ins. agent, Fremont bet. Chicago and Henry.  
MAUGER, P. W., milinery dealer, Hudson north of Ch. (see advt.)  
MANVEL, C. J., sewing machine agent, cor. Hull and Hudson.  
(see advt.)  
MARKHAM, E. W., hardware mer., Hanchett bet. Pearl and Chi.  
(see advt.)  
Mannerow, C., Polk south of Pearl.  
Morgan, F. E., lawyer, cor. Pearl and Fremont.  
Mockridge, R. F., express agent, Division south of Washington.  
Munson, John G., Morse near Chicago.  
MAUGER, E. G., prop. sash, door and blind factory, Hudson bet.  
Church and Hull.  
McCarty, J. A., blacksmith, Clay bet. Chicago and Harrison.  
Morse, Charles W., east Washington.  
Maxwell, W., painter, east Cutter ave.  
Mapes, W. S., carpenter, Fremont north of Henry.  
MANSELL, GEORGE, pump dealer, Hanchett bet. Harrison and  
Taylor.  
MANSELL, EDWIN, pump dealer, Montgomery. (see advt.)  
Marsh, Emerson, traveling salesman, east Chicago.  
Monroe, James, carpenter, Washington east Jefferson.  
Morey, Mrs. A., Monroe, south of Washington.  
Markham, Mrs. O. E., Monroe south of Washington.

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Millard, Charles, clerk at depot, Division near Railroad.  
Maxwell, M. D., miller, 18 Jefferson.  
Miller, L. W., cigar store, Perkins.  
McGee, George A., joiner, Elm south of Washington.  
Merrill, David, blacksmith, Jefferson bet. Perkins and Railroad.  
Maynard, John, cooper, Jefferson south of Railroad.  
Miller, Myer, tanner, Railroad east of Jefferson.  
Monroe, John, laborer, Railroad east of Jefferson.  
Moore, John, painter, 13 Marshall.  
Moore, C. R., printer, cor. Smith and Morse.  
MILNES, C. H., butcher, Clay, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Marks, J. W., blacksmith, boards 77 Chicago.  
Musser, John, drayman, Chicago 2 doors west of Lincoln.  
Miller, Horace, carpenter, west Chicago (Masonville.)  
McLane, J. H., farmer, cor. Hudson and Hull.  
Mandeville, Charles, sewing machine agent, cor. Hudson and Hull.  
Munyon, J. H., butcher, Pierce bet. Hudson and Morse.  
Mahlon, James, tailor, east Cutter ave.  
McCarty, S. B., mason, east Cutter ave.  
McMahan, William, Church bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Munyan, Asa, cor. Hull and Jefferson.  
Moulton, George, H., (with Moulton & Dickinson,) cor. Hanchett and Taylor.  
Mason, Jesse, carpenter, Hanchett.  
Mansfield, M., carpenter, cor. Clay and Williams.  
Milbourn, H., turner, Williams,  
McKinney, brick and stone mason, Pierson, north.  
Mudgett, Moses, laborer, Henry.  
McIntyre, blacksmith, Henry.  
Miller, William, laborer, Clay.  
McNett, John, blacksmith, Chicago west of Fremont.  
Morrill, James, farmer, west Chicago.  
Mason, Hannah, widow, Pearl bet. Fremont and Polk.  
Mason, James N., clothing salesman.  
Munro, Charles, laborer, Polk south of Pearl.  
Munro, Charles, jr., shoemaker, Polk south of Pearl.  
McLAIN, SAMUEL, carpenter and joiner, 70 Chicago, Bennett's block.

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Marsh, Abel, wagon maker, Chicago bet. Clay and Jackson.  
Marsh, Fred, tinner, Chicago bet Clay and Jackson,  
Miller, Horace, carpenter, west Chicago.  
Myers, J. S., farmer, Jackson south of Pearl.  
Myers, George, laborer, Walnut, south of Pearl.  
Moylan, Jerry, laborer, Jackson, south of Pearl.  
Mix, Milton, cooper, Jackson south of Pearl.  
Miles, H. S., gunsmith.  
Melarney, J., hostler, Peckham,  
Mahoney, John, railroad laborer, Clay south of Race.  
Miles, Sarah G., widow, Monroe bet. Pearl and Wash.  
MILLER, H. D., auctioneer, cor. Pearl and Fremont.  
Mead, H. C., insurance agent, Division south of Wash.  
Mudgett, T. W., carriage maker, Chicago bet. Hanchett and Clay.

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Nichols, B. B., harness maker, cor. Chi. and Morse, Oriental House.  
NICHOLS, P. P., ins. agent, abstract office, Marshall south of Pierce.  
(see advt.)  
Nettleton, D., hardware dealer, cor. Chicago and Jefferson.  
Nettleman, Benjamin, teamster, Pearl bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Norton, W. J., farmer, 29 Washington.  
Nagel, M., laborer, Railroad east of Jefferson.  
Nichols, G. W., pattern maker, Jefferson south of Railroad.  
Noyes, Samuel P., Hanchett bet. Chicago and Harrison.  
Newberry, Nelson, laborer, Henry bet. Pierson and Fremont.  
Nichols, Alfred, carpenter, Pearl.  
Nyer, W. H., butcher, Monroe bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
NICHOLS, FRANK B., horse trainer, Chicago, bds. Oriental House.  
Nichols, D. B., traveling salesman, cor. Chicago and Jackson.  
Nichols, George H., baker with Harrington, cor. Chi. and Jackson.  
Nichols, Thomas, laborer, Jackson.  
Norton, A. S., produce buyer, Washington west of Monroe.  
Newton, Amanda, tailoress, Branch road bet. Clay and Jay.

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Otis, Samuel, mason, cor. Smith and Sprague.  
O'Neal, James, tailor, Smith east of Morse.

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Orr, Jennette, widow, Clay bet. Tailor and Williams.  
Olmsted, Leroy, cattle broker, Walnut south of Pearl.  
Oliver, Orren, teamster, Henry.

**P**

PARRISH, T. M., dealer in harness, saddles, &c., Grand, N. of Taylor.  
Parsons, E. G., attorney, Div., bet. Pearl and Wash.  
PRATT, C. B., attorney, Chi., E. of Jef.  
PARKHURST, J. G., attorney, Clay, bet. Harrison and Taylor.  
PRATT, J. F., (J. F. Pratt & Bro.,) boot and shoe dealer, Church,  
bet. Marshall and Hudson. (see advt.)  
PRATT, F. P., (J. F. Pratt & Bro.,) boot and shoe dealer, Church,  
bet. Harrison and Hudson. (see advt.)  
PURINTON, D. B., justice, 30 Battle Creek.  
Page, Charles, barber, Monroe, north of Chi.  
Paddock, B. D., salesman, with Fisk, Pearl, east of Jeff.  
POWERS, D, C., phy., south side Chi., bet. Hanchett and Clay. (see  
card.)  
Paddock, W. B., prop. Watson House.  
PARKER, C. C., attorney, Chi. st. east.  
Pelton, John O., retired mason, Clay, south of Pearl.  
PRATT, F. S., painter, Clay, bet. Wash. and Peckham.  
Pratt, C., wagon maker, Clinton ave.  
Porter, Rev. W. C., Presby., cor. Jeff. and Church.  
Porter, A. L., insurance agent, corner Pearl and Div.  
Philips, A. B., clerk, drug, boards corner Chicago and Hanchett.  
Pendill, Mrs. R., weaver, corner Wash. and Elm.  
Potter, R., cabinet maker, Division, south of Wash.  
Parrish, Kimball, 40 Jef.  
Peterson, R., carpenter, Clark, corner of Div.  
Peck, John, farmer, Railroad st.  
Peterson, James, farmer, east of court house.  
Page, E., farmer, 42 Marshall.  
Pierce, I. W., carpenter and joiner, Battle Creek, north of Montgomery.  
Pratt, I. W., shipping merchant, Montgomery st.  
Paddock, Stephen, proprietor Sherman House.  
Putnam, James, laborer, Cutter ave.

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Payne, M. D., teamster. Chicago, east of Oriental.  
PHILIPS, H. C., Dentist, boards Watson House. (see advt.)  
Pierce, James B., mason, Monroe, north of Chicago.  
Pope, Geo., drayman, Clay, between Taylor and Clinton ave.  
Phibbs, John, railroad laborer, Taylor st., between Clay and Pierson.  
Parks, Thomas, laborer, Clay street.  
Phibbs, Thomas, laborer, Williams street.  
PHILBRICK, DANIEL W., carriage maker, Harrison street.  
PHILBRICK, A. A., proprietor carriage factory, Polk st. (see advt.)  
Parkhurst, George S., traveling salesman, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Parsons, J. P., farmer, Battle Creek st.  
Perkins, William D., traveling salesman, Fremont, north of Henry.  
Pixley, A., dry goods salesman, Chicago, west of Clay.  
Pflackler, Christian, laborer, west Chicago.  
Paddock, R. M., at Watson House.  
Paddock, I. H., at Watson House.  
Patkowskee, S., railroad laborer, Jackson st.  
Peckham, C. B., ret., Monroe, between Pearl and Wash.  
Peckham, Hannah, widow, Monroe, between Wash. and Peckham.  
PARKER, M. A., architect and builder, corner Monroe and Peckham. (see advt.)  
Pike, Lewis, horse trainer, Jay street, south of river.  
Patterson, John, drayman, boards at Oriental House.  
Peckham, Phebe, Chicago, between Jef. and Hudson.  
Pexton, Thomas, gardener, city limits, east of Marshall st.

**Q**

Quick, George, farmer, Fremont, north of Henry.  
Quigley, O. B., lightning rod agent, corner Chicago and Jackson.  
Quick, E. R., corner Wash. and Monroe.

**R**

Rice, Benjamin B., carpenter and joiner, Pearl, between Hudson and Jefferson.  
Richardson, F., harness maker, Battle Creek. near Clay.  
Rodman, B., dry goods merchant, Marshall, bet. Grand and Union.  
ROSE, L. E., banker, (Rose, Bowen & Rose,) corner Pearl and Walnut. (see advt.)

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- ROSE, S. C., banker, (Rose, Bowen & Rose,) corner Chicago and Walnut. (see advt.)
- Roth, J., (Roth & Freedman,) merchant, Watson House. (see advt.)
- Robison, H. D., money broker, 16 Grand street, east side.
- ROSENBAUM, N., clothing merchant, east Church st.
- REED, R. M., jeweler, Pearl street, west of Fremont. (see advt.)
- RAGUE, J. P., grocer, Monroe st.
- Root, E. R., assistant postmaster, corner Pierson and Harrison.
- Ray, John, laborer, 45 Marshall.
- ROOKS, D. J., (Crandall, Bathrick & Rooks,) corner Church and Hudson sts.
- Rooks, Geo. D., corner Church and Hudson sts.
- Romans, Mrs., Pearl, between Jef. and Elm.
- Rawson, S., carpenter, Wash., east of Jef.
- Refenburg, D., blacksmith, Elm, south of Wash.
- Rensbart, Patrick, laborer, Perkins, east of Jef.
- Rice, David, farmer, north Marshall st.
- Roberts, Thomas, (works in wheelbarrow factory,) Wash., east of Jef.
- Reynolds, A., Hudson, between Chicago and Church.
- Reed, E. M., mason, Hull, east of Marshall.
- Rawson, James M., traveling agent, Hull, south of Pierce.
- Rogers, J., constable, Pierce, between Hudson and Marshall.
- Rooks, George W., mason, west Cutter ave.
- Reed, Mrs., widow, Cutter ave.
- Robinson Michael, mason, corner Smith and Sprague.
- RANDALL, C. D., (Randall & McGowan,) lawyer, Chicago, east Oriental. (see card.)
- Rattray, Robert, cigar maker, S. M. hotel.
- Robinson, H. B., speculator, Monroe, between Chicago and Taylor.
- Russell, Benton, carpenter, Hanchett, bet. Taylor and Clinton ave.
- Rowell, A. S., painter, Clay, north of Clinton ave.
- Rowell, Frank, painter, Clay, north of Clinton ave.
- Russey, S., blacksmith, Clay.
- Roland, Root, farmer, corner Pierson and Harrison.
- Rounds, H., carpenter, Henry st.
- Reynolds, Levi, hardware clerk, corner Polk and Henry.
- Root, Mrs. A. M., widow, Chicago, between Fremont and Polk.
- Raynor, William, farm laborer, west Chicago.

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Reed, Otis, (with R. N. Reed, jeweler,) Pearl, bet. Fremont and Polk.  
Ripley, William, gardener, Pearl, between Monroe and Clay.  
ROSE, A. G., farmer, Pearl, bet. Monroe and Clay.  
Rome, James, whitewasher, Chicago street, up stairs.  
Rohrback, John, railroad laborer, Jackson street, south of Pearl.  
Reik, M., saloon keeper, Clay, south of Pearl.  
Reik, Jacob, insurance agent, Clay, south of Pearl.  
ROSE, J. A., lumber dealer, Hanchett, north of Taylor. (see advt.)  
RYDER, G. E., news dealer, corner Hanchett and Taylor. (see advt.)  
Rhodes, Thomas, shoemaker, Marshall st.  
Rhodes, William, shoemaker, Marshall st.  
Rogers, Aaron, Chicago st.

**S**

Stearns, George W., claim agent, &c., Hudson, north of Chicago,  
SMITH, F. V., clothing merchant, corner Division and Pearl.  
Smith, J. E., clothing merchant, east Chicago street.  
Sharp, William, cutter, with F. V. Smith & Co., Cutter ave.  
SHIVELLY, J. W., merchant dry goods, Monroe, bet. Pearl and  
Washington.  
SHIVELLY, W. B., merchant dry goods, S. M. hotel.  
SWAFFIELD, THOMAS, tailor, Clay street south.  
Shaw, I. N., druggist, 5 Marshall.  
SPAULDING, C. A., dry goods merchant, Grand.  
SCHELLHOUS, L. W., insurance agent, Pearl, bet. Monroe and  
Hanchett.  
Sweet, E. A., Hudson, bet, Washington and Perkins.  
Stowell, A. E., with Rosenbaum, cor. Hudson and Alden.  
Stair, Jacob, tinner, Monroe, north of Chicago.  
STARR, GEORGE, cashier first national bank, east Chicago.  
SHIPMAN, JOHN B., lawyer, S. M. Hotel.  
SKEELS, FRANK L., lawyer, Church, bet. Marshall and Hudson.  
Skeels, N. D., retired merchant, Church, bet. Marshall and Hudson.  
Sawdy, R. C., (salesman with S. W. Fisk,) cor. Pierson and Harrison.  
Shoulder, H. S., (salesman with Halsted,) Division, bet. Pearl and  
Washington.  
SMITH, GEORGE B., (Smith & Bro.,) grocer, Washington, bet.  
Jefferson and Elm.

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- SMITH, CHARLES V., (Smith & Bro.,) grocer, Washington, bet. Jefferson and Elm.
- Smails, J., salesman, cor. Monroe and Washington.
- STEVENS, A. G., agent G. & B. sewing machine company, Fremont, north of Henry.
- Sprague, Levi, lawyer, Pearl, bet. Fremont and Polk.
- Sawyer, W. S., carpenter, cor. Clay and Pearl.
- SNYDER, A. D., manufacturer of tinware, Chicago, near Fremont.
- Stoddard, H., Washington, bet. Jefferson and Elm.
- Smith, J. M., prop. Oriental House, east Chicago.
- Stevens, W. H., prop. wheelbarrow factory, Division, south of R. R.
- Stevens, Isaac, at factory, Division, south of railroad.
- Scott, William B., shoemaker, Hudson, bet. Pierce and Hull.
- Seely, F. B., lumber dealer, cor. Hanchett and Harrison.
- Schauber, J. H., engineer, east Chicago.
- SPRAGUE, WILLIAM B., retired physician, east Chicago.
- Smith, E. B., carpenter, 53 Washington.
- Shay, James, laborer, Sprague.
- Sheldon, William, teamster, Pearl, east of Jefferson.
- Stickney, George, laborer, Division, near railroad.
- Shelp, George H., tailor, Hudson, bet. Pearl and Washington.
- Sprague, William B., retired physician, east Chicago.
- Stout, C. T., tanner, Washington, bet. Jefferson and Elm.
- Stone, Edward, carpenter, 38 Washington.
- Stephenson, George W., mason, 67 Monroe.
- Stoddard, Peter, engineer, 30 Division.
- Shepley, Theodore, farmer, Hudson, bet. Washington and Pearl.
- Sweet, G. S., dry goods merchant, cor. Hudson and Perkins.
- Smith, C., carpenter, 29 Perkins.
- Slead, John, laborer, Perkins, east of Jefferson.
- Sweeney, Michael, laborer, Perkins, east of Elm.
- Single, William, railroad laborer, 29 Hudson.
- Searls, William, carpenter, Clark, bet. Division and Hudson.
- Sullivan, Charles, laborer, Railroad st.
- Smith, James P., farmer, Division, south of Railroad.
- Smith, James, laborer, Division, south of Railroad.
- Spring, E., mechanic, cor. Marshall and Montgomery.
- Spring, Charles, mechanic, Pierce, east of Hudson.

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Sweet, Martin, carpenter, 49 Marshall.  
Smith, W. L., carpenter, 59 Marshall.  
Sanford, S. S., produce dealer, Battle Creek.  
Shires, J. D., carpenter, Marshall, bet. Pierce and Hull.  
Shay, George W., at gas works, Alden.  
Stickney, George F., Division, south of Washington.  
Sherman, N. W., carriage maker, Grand.  
Sherman, F. L., carriage maker, Grand.  
Sapp, Rev. R., presiding elder, 14 Grand.  
Steele, A. L., cabinet maker, 21 Pierce.  
Small, John, carpenter, Morse, north of Pierce.  
Stearns, John, cor. Morse and Pierce.  
Spooner, J., farmer, west Cutter ave.  
Sellick, Joel, mason, west Cutter ave.  
Stevers, John S., carpenter, west Cutter ave.  
Spring, C. H., peddler, cor. Marshall and Alden.  
SLOMAN, LOUIS, clothing merchant, S. M. Hotel.  
Starr, Charles, bank clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
Schoby, John, laborer, Chicago.  
Saunders, Solon S., dealer in lightning rods, Hanchett, N. of Taylor.  
Sweeney, Thomas, laborer, cor. Clay and Taylor.  
Shelmire, George W., book-keeper at Markham's, Clay, bet. Harrison  
and Taylor.  
SMITH, GEORGE K., M. D., cor. Clay and Harrison.  
Shepley, Frederick, laborer.  
Stevens, George W., teacher, cor. Clay and Clinton ave.  
Stone, Richard, lightning rod peddler, Clay.  
Shank, Charles, farm laborer, Clay.  
Shank, Sylvester, farm laborer, Clay.  
Spring, James, farm laborer, Clay.  
Stephenson, David, farmer.  
Sullivan, Michael, laborer, Pierson.  
Shaughnessy, Patrick, miller, Harrison.  
Stahl, George, carpenter, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
Stahl, Ezra, carpenter, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
Stahl, Henry, carpenter, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
Smith, Thomas, farmer, west Chicago.  
Smith, Henry, farmer, west Chicago.

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- Stewart, Henry, barber, Monroe, north of Chicago.  
SCOVILL, S. S., stock buyer, cor. Pearl and Jackson. (see advt.)  
Stahl, A. F., carpenter, cor. Pearl and Monroe.  
Scholey, H. J., produce dealer, Pearl, bet. Monroe and Clay.  
Shaw, D. C., carpenter, cor. Pearl and Clay.  
Sitter, Andrew, painter, Pearl, west of Polk.  
Schneider, A., Mill.  
Stillman, Elizabeth, widow, Monroe, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Strickland, Albert, agent lightning rods, Clay, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
Strickland, Charles, advertiser, &c., Clay, bet. Chicago and Pearl.  
SMITH, ALFRED, tinner, (A. D. Snyder & Co.,) Chicago, opp. the Sherman House.  
Southworth, W. S., produce dealer, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
Sillick, Henry, west Chicago.  
Seymour, Sellick, Walnut.  
Stokes, James, shoemaker, Chicago, west of Clay.  
Small, Harry S., clerk at Watson House.  
Spindler, Jacob, carpenter, south Clay.  
Sealy, James, carpenter, south Clay.  
Sheldon, Maria, widow, cor. Clay and Washington.  
Styges, Charles F., railroad baggage master, Washington, west of Monroe.  
Styges, William, Washington, west of Monroe.  
Schwartz, Martin, railroad laborer, Clay, near depot.  
Stewart, John, railroad track master, Bolster House.  
Saunders, G., agent lightning rods, Clay, north of river.  
Sanford, Orrin, brick maker, Jay, south' of river.  
Schumaker, Anthony, clerk with E. R. Clarke & Co., boards Watson House.  
Sherman, S. E., (Sherman & Sweezy,) prop. Oriental House, corner Chicago and Morse.  
SWEEZY, J., (Sherman & Sweezy,) prop. Oriental House, cor. Chicago and Morse.  
Thompkins, G. B., clerk, Hanchett, bet. Chicago and Taylor.  
TRIPP, JAMES, photographer, Monroe, near Washington. (see advt.)  
TRUESDELL, J. T., grocer, 30 Hanchett. (see advt.)  
TRUESDELL, C. L., grocer, 6 Alden.

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TIBBETTS. B. S., tobacconist, S. M. Hotel.  
TURNER, G. H., ass't county recorder, Chicago, bet. Fremont and Polk.  
Tinker, A. M., lawyer, Washington, bet. Jefferson and Hudson.  
THOMPSON, ALFRED, city marshall, Harrison, bet. Clay and Pierson.  
THOMPSON, DAVID, lawyer, west Chicago, bet. Pierson and Fremont.  
Tripp, D., salesman, hardware, cor. Chicago and Jefferson.  
Tripp, B. S., cor. Chicago and Jefferson.  
TITUS, L. B., prop. foundry, Marshall, north of Hull.  
Titlow, C. N., prop. livery, boards at Bolster House.  
Titlow, George, prop. livery, boards at Bolster House.  
TAYLOR, G. H., prop. cooper shop, Pearl, east of Jefferson.  
Tinkham, D. W., stock dealer, east Chicago.  
Thompson, A. E., cooper, cor. Pearl and Jefferson.  
Terhune, B. F., drug clerk, S. M. Hotel.  
Taylor, E., cooper, Washington, east of Division.  
Thomas, L. S., cor. Washington and Hudson.  
Tallman, Lydia, Monroe, south of Washington.  
Tracy, Dennis, laborer, Perkins, east of Elm.  
Thompson, William, carpenter, 38 Jefferson.  
Tindall, J., laborer, Railroad st.  
Tetz, William, laborer, Hrosse House.  
Taylor, A. cooper, cor. Perkins and Jefferson.  
Talmage, Louis, carpenter, Montgomery.  
TURNER, J. W., lawyer, cor. Battle Creek and Montgomery.  
Taylor, Eri, carpenter, Montgomery.  
Travers, C. E., traveling agent, Alden.  
Taylor, S., carriage maker, cor. Pierce and Hudson.  
Terrill, Edson, farmer, Cutter ave.  
Townsend, H. B., physician, cor. Chicago and Morse.  
Tucker, C. S., physician, Morse, bet. Chicago and Cutter ave.  
Thomas, C. W., porter S. M. Hotel.  
TIBBETS, ALLEN, Hanchett.  
Trier, August, salesman, Clay, bet. Chicago and Harrison.  
Taylor, Edward, (works in wheelbarrow factory,) Division.  
Thomas, D. B., architect and builder, cor. Chicago and Polk.

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Terree, M., cooper, west Chicago.  
**TOWNSEND**, M. G., real estate broker, Townsend block.  
 Taylor, John, all work, cor. Chicago and Walnut.  
 Turner, Charles B., farmer, west Chicago.  
 Turner, John F., teacher, west Chicago.  
 Titus, H. W., carpenter, Jackson, south of Pearl.  
 Turner, Harry, drug clerk, Watson House.  
 Thorp, Thomas, teamster.  
**TOLCHARD**, J. M., railroad station agent, Bolster House.

**U**

Upson, Hon. C., circuit judge, Pearl, bet. Jackson and Clay.  
 Underhill, R., farmer, 22 Cutter ave.  
 Unanchs, —, mason, Marshall.

**V**

**VAN NESS**, C., Hanchett, bet Clinton ave. and Taylor.  
 Vincent, J. F., restaurant, cor. Hanchett and Harrison.  
**VANDENBURG**, A., builder, Hudson, bet. Washington and Perkins.  
**VANDENBURG**, WM. H., builder, Hudson, bet. Washington and Perkins.  
 Van Valkenburg, L., propr. livery stable, cor. Marshall and Hull.  
**VANCE**, T. H., (A. D. Snyder & Co.) 33 Marshall.  
 Van Every, M., farmer, Chicago, opp. Oriental House.  
**VAN WORMER**, C. B., building mover, cor. Perkins and Elm.  
 Voorhees, K., farmer, Hudson, south of Railroad.  
 Vilehaber, H., laborer, Jefferson, south of Railroad.  
 Vernon, Wm., laborer, Railroad.  
 Vandine, George, blacksmith, south of Railroad, east of Division.  
 Van Aken, J. H., propr. livery stable, Peckham.  
 Vanderhoof, W. H., tinner, Washington, east of Jefferson.  
 Vanslyke, William, drayman, Oriental House.  
 Vernon, Thomas, clerk.  
 Vanhinning, H., miller, Grand, near Division.  
 Vanderhoof, J. W., farmer, north of Chicago, west of Polk.  
 Vincent, Spencer, mason, Chicago, 1 west of Sherman House.  
 Van Arsdell, H., laborer, Polk.  
 Visel, Christian, cooper, Mill.  
 Vail, John, blacksmith, Peckham.

**W**

- WEBB, BENJAMIN C., justice, cor. Grand and Union.  
Webb, B. L., dry goods merchant, Pearl, bet. Monroe and Clay.  
Whitley, H. C., dry goods merchant, Pierce, bet. Hudson and Morse.  
WHITFORD, GEORGE L., physician, Hull, bet. Marshall and Hudson.  
WOOLLEY, J. H., dentist, cor. Monroe and Peckham. (see advt.)  
WARREN, J. H. D., grocer, 11 Church.  
WILSON, D., grocer, Chicago, west of Fremont.  
WOODWARD, H. J., dry goods merchant, Chicago, bet. Pierson and Fremont. (see advt.)  
Woodruff, Isaac, Division, south of Washington.  
Williams, W. J., Hudson, bet. Alden and Montgomery.  
Willits, B. I., grocer, cor. Monroe and Washington.  
WOODARD, J. S., bookseller, Monroe, north of Chicago. (see advt.)  
Wright, G. W. T., clergyman, 56 Chicago.  
WARREN, F. L., propr. S. M. Hotel.  
WILSON, L. T. N., lawyer, Monroe, bet. Chicago and Taylor.  
Watson, Robert, butcher, west Chicago.  
Weller, G. W., restaurant, 7 Monroe, south of Chicago.  
WOLCOTT, J. S., produce dealer, cor. Monroe and Pearl.  
Weldy, A. W., harness maker, Polk, south of Pearl.  
Wisher, A., dyer, 102 Chicago.  
Weller, Orlando, blacksmith, cor. Chicago and Polk.  
Weller, Charles, blacksmith, south Clay, bet. Pearl and Washington.  
Warren, E. P., painter, 18 Pierce.  
Whitcomb, John, county treasurer, Marshall, near Union.  
Waterhouse, Asa, 35 Pearl, bet. Jefferson and Elm.  
Williams, S. D., teamster, cor. Pearl and Hudson.  
WING, L. M., tobacconist, cor. Pearl and Division.  
Whitehead, George, mason, cor. Washington and Jefferson.  
Waite, ——, Washington, east of Jefferson.  
Wheeler, William H., engineer, Washington, east of Jefferson.  
Wendelt, C., boarding house and restaurant, cor. Chicago and Hanchett.  
Wendell, Fred H., salesman at F. V. Smith & Co.'s, boards cor. Chicago and Hanchett.  
White, I., engineer, Clark, bet. Hudson and Division.

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- Wiswell, Silas, painter, 13 Railroad.  
Walling, Daniel, farmer, Jefferson, south of Railroad.  
Withington, W. H., lawyer, Clark, east of Division.  
Wicks, Homer, in wheelbarrow factory, Division, south of Railroad.  
Weldy, Mrs. E., Division, south of Railroad.  
Wahl, George, at ashery, Clay, south of Railroad.  
WATKINS, T. W., physician, S. M. Hotel. (see advt.)  
Weaver, H. P., painter, Henry, west of Polk.  
Worden, William R., carpenter, 10 Alden.  
Wolcott, H., blacksmith, Washington, west of Monroe.  
Whitcomb, L. H., sash, door, and blind factory, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Whitecomb, L. M., sash, door and blind factory, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Whitecomb, E. P., sash, door and blind factory, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Whitcomb, O. V., drayman, Clay, south of Pearl.  
Weldin, J. W., carpenter, cor. Marshall and Pierce.  
WILLIAMS, H. C., architect and builder, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Williams, Chauncy, wool carder, west Chicago.  
Welch, Henry, laborer, cor. Hudson and Pierce.  
Watson, W., joiner, Morse, 1 north of Montgomery.  
Wood, William, farmer, Smith, east of Morse.  
Wilson, B. T., laborer, Cutter ave. west.  
Whalen, Owen, teamster, Cutter ave. west.  
Wright, Charles S., drover, Cutter ave.  
Withington, Mrs. E. A., Hull, bet. Hudson and Jefferson.  
Woodard, F. R., bookseller, Monroe, north of Chicago.  
Waffle, Daniel, Monroe, north of Chicago.  
WATERMAN, A., farmer, cor. Hanchett and Clinton ave.  
Woodruff, Eunice, dressmaker, Hanchett, near Grand.  
WILDER, R. M., gas fitter and dealer, cor. Clay and Williams.  
Wilkes, Charles, farmer, Clinton ave.  
Waterman, N. T., street broker, cor. Clay and Harrison.  
Warren, John, laborer, Pierson, north of Henry.  
Whitaker, Abram, cooper, Chicago, west of Polk.  
Williams, Lucy, widow, west Chicago.  
Weldin, A., carpenter, Pearl, bet. Hanchett and Clay.  
Wildman, William, tanner, Pearl, west of Polk.  
Wood, John D., retired merchant, cor. Alden and Marshall.  
Williams, David, produce buyer, Monroe, bet. Chicago and Pearl.

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Wood, A. A., cor. Chicago and Clay.  
Watson, Robert, Sen., farmer, west Chicago.  
Williams, Henry, student, west Chicago.  
Whitehead, Benjamin, mason, Walnut, south of Pearl.  
Wyatt, S., salesman boot and shoe, Watson House,  
West, N., cigar maker, Watson House.  
Wolcott, F. C., clerk, south Clay.  
Woodmaster, Henry, railroad laborer, Race.  
Ward Allen, saloon keeper, south Clay.  
Watkins, Eli, Monroe, south of Peckham.  
Webster, Samuel, laborer, Jay, south of River.  
Wright, George, farmer, Jay, south of River.  
Wright, C. D., drug clerk, Jay, south of River.  
Watson, George W., speculator, Clay, north of Clinton ave.

**X**

Youngs, John S., sec'y O. and M. Railroad Co., bds. J. Smith's, east  
Chicago.  
Yager, O. B., money broker, cor. Division and Perkins.  
Young, William, bus conductor, Perkins, east of Jefferson.  
Young, John, teamster, Montgomery.  
Young, George, cor. Smith and Morse.  
Youngs, D. E., dairyman, west Chicago.  
Young, R. R., railroad carpenter, west Pearl.  
Youngs, Cornelius, stone mason, Morse.

**Z**

Zirn, Jacob, stone mason, Mill.  
Zirn, Frank, stone mason, Race.  
Zucker, C., saloon keeper, cor. Clay and Race.

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JACOB L. MUNSON.

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### A

Allen, John, farmer, southwest city, Branch R.  
Andrews, Jacob, farmer.  
Allen, Hiram, farmer, southwest city, Branch R.  
Alln, Reuben, farmer, southwest city, Branch R.  
Allen, Alonzo, southeast city.  
Allen, Elisha, southeast city.  
Abbott, James, laborer, White farm, east city.  
Anderson, William H., farmer, east city.  
Allen, James, farmer, northeast city.  
Atwater, J. H., farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
Allen, A. C., farmer, north city, Marshall R.

### B

Bailey, Marvin, farmer.  
Brooks, Russell, farmer.  
Brooks, J. S., farmer.  
Barner, Samuel N., hotel keeper, Chicago St., west Lake.  
Burleson, Z. E., farmer, Branch.  
Batterson, K., teamster, Branch.  
Bagg, L. E., farmer, Branch.  
Baird, O., farmer, Branch.  
Brenneman, A., farmer, south of Branch.

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Bagley, George W., laborer, southwest city.  
Burrell, John, farmer on Parsons' farm, south city.  
Burrell, R., farmer on Parsons' farm, south city.  
Batterson, N., farmer, south city.  
Bennett, J. C., carpenter, southeast city.  
Bingham, O., farmer, southeast city.  
Branch, M., farmer, southeast city.  
Barns, Aaron, carpenter, southeast city.  
Barrow, D., farmer, southeast city.  
Bernard, M., farmer, southeast city.  
Brenner, Jacob, farmer, southeast city.  
Brevier, William H., farmer, southeast city.  
Bunnell, A., carpenter, southeast city.  
Brown, A. H., peddler, southeast city.  
Brooks, Charles, farmer, southeast city.  
Bailey, Harvey, farmer, southeast city.  
Brenner, C., laborer, southeast city.  
Berry, Smith, butcher, southeast city.  
Bunnell, Ambrose, farmer, southeast city.  
Bentley, William, farmer, east city.  
Bailey, David, farmer, east city.  
Brown, William, laborer, east city.  
Burgess, James, farmer, northeast city.  
Betz, William, farmer, northeast city.  
Benton, William P., farmer, northeast city.  
Brinton, A. L., blacksmith, northeast city.  
Bidgood, William, farmer, north city.  
Burke, John, farmer, north city.  
Burgess, Robert, farmer, north city.  
Burgess, John, farmer, north city.  
Button, J. A., peddler, north city.  
Blodgett, Eames, farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
Burleson, Daniel, farmer, north city.  
Barnhart, Thankful, northwest city.  
Barnes, James L., farmer, northwest city.

## C

Cornell, Chauncy J., farmer.  
Caldwell, —, farmer.

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Cherdavoine, Robert, farmer.  
Cooley, W. J., farmer.  
Cruttenden, William, farmer.  
Coxall, Samuel, farmer.  
Cohler, William, teamster, Branch.  
Cary, William, farmer, Branch.  
Cummings, L., farmer, south city.  
Canright, John, farmer, southwest city.  
Chafec, Orrin, farmer, southwest city.  
Cooley, Daniel, farmer, southwest city.  
Cook, Allen, farmer, southwest city.  
Cox, Jeremiah, farmer, south city.  
Clark, Alva, farmer, southeast city.  
Clark, Patrick, farmer, southeast city.  
Canright, Theodore, farmer, southeast city.  
Clark, M. S., farmer, southeast city.  
Clapp, Nathan, farmer, east city.  
Clapp, James, farmer, east city.  
Conant, William B., farmer, east city.  
Cheney, John, farmer, northeast city.  
Card, Ezra, farmer, northeast city.  
Coats, J., farmer, northeast city.  
Chase, S. H., farmer, north city.  
Cook, Thomas, farmer, north city.  
Cooley, George, farmer, east city.  
Chivers, Robert, farmer, north city.  
Corless, Nathan, farmaer, north city.  
Clark, Melvin, farmer, north city.  
Case, N. W., farmer, north city.

**D**

Day, William H., farmer, northwest city.  
Davis, O. F., farmer, northwest city.  
Denio, Elizabeth, hotel keeper, Chicago R., west Lake.  
Deroy, Daniel, laborer, Branch.  
Denio, E. F., grocer, Branch.  
Dressey, George, lawyer, Branch.  
Dorsey, James, farmer, east Branch.

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Dewey, R., farmer, east Branch.  
Davis, N., farmer, southwest city.  
Darrow, H., farmer, southwest city.  
Deckey, George W., farmer, southeast city.  
Dacker, J. M., Tucker farm, northeast city.  
Drum, David, farmer, northeast city.  
Drum, Theodore, farmer, northeast city.  
Duffee, S., farmer, northeast city.  
Dunks, Fred S., farmer, north city, east Marshall R.  
Dimond, Alfred, farmer, north city, east Marshall R.

**E**

Evans, Willard, farmer, Branch.  
Eastman, Julia, Branch.  
Eggleson, N. H., physician, east Branch.  
Ernst, Walter, carpenter, southeast city.  
Ernst, G. F., fireman in mill, southeast city.  
Evans, Thomas, farmer, southeast city.

**F**

Fetterly, Nathan, farmer.  
French, Stephen, railroad laborer, Branch.  
Fetterly, Thomas, farmer, Branch.  
Fetterly, Jacob, farmer, Branch.  
Fetterly, David, stone mason, Branch.  
Fisher, Ira, farmer, south city.  
Folks, Jerry M., farmer, south city.  
Fetterly, Joseph, farmer, south city.  
Fox, M. M., farmer, south city.  
Fox, E. A., farmer, south city.  
Fisk, George W., farmer, south city.  
Fisk, Samuel, farmer, south city.  
Fenn, H. C., farmer, south city.  
Fox, Peter, farmer, southeast city.  
Fox, J. P., farmer, southeast city.  
Fox, Henry, farmer, southeast city.  
Fenno, Samuel, farmer, southeast city.  
Fetterly, C., farmer, east city.  
Fisk, A. C., farmer, east city, Chicago R.

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Fisk, Frank, farmer, east city, Chicago R.  
 Ferguson, William, farmer, north city.  
 Forest, John S., farmer, northwest city.

**G**

Gowdy, Legrand, farmer.  
 Grunner, W., farmer.  
 Grunner, Anton, farmer.  
 Giddings, E. S., farmer.  
 Graham, O. C., farmer.  
 Goddard, Charles A., farmer.  
 Greenman, Sarah, widow, Branch.  
 Gerow, N. L., peddler, Branch.  
 Green, William H., lumberman, Branch.  
 Graves, A. B., brick maker, Branch.  
 Gilbert, A., farmer, Branch.  
 Gray, Mary, south city.  
 Good, James, farmer, southwest city.  
 Gideon, Moses, farmer, southwest city.  
 Good, Solomon, farmer, east city, south Chicago R.  
 Gillett, Solomon, farmer, east city, south Chicago R.  
 Gillett, William S., farmer, east city, south Chicago R.  
 Grinnell, J. W., farmer, east city.  
 Gardner, N. C., farmer, east city.  
 Gunn, Charles, farmer, east city.  
 Gunn, Charles, Jr., farmer, east city.  
 Grundy, Isaac, farmer, northeast city.  
 Grinnell, L., farmer, east city.  
 Gage, E., farmer, northeast city.  
 Greenfield, Benjamin, farmer, north city.  
 Granger, Francis, farmer, north city.  
 Gresler, John, farmer, north city.  
 Gresler, Daniel, farmer, north city.

**H**

Howard, John, farmer.  
 Harbaugh, Jacob, farmer.  
 Heyden, A. V., laborer, Branch.  
 Hellyshuike, John, laborer, Branch.

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Hall, Don, blacksmith, Branch.  
Holmes, J., laborer, Branch.  
Haslem, Henry, laborer, Branch.  
Houghtaling, Levi, shoemaker, Branch.  
Hill, Sally, widow, Branch.  
Hand, C. A., farmer, east Branch.  
Hamlin, Rachael, east Branch.  
HORACE, HILL, farmer, southwest city.  
Holway, Myron, farmer, southwest city.  
Hart, Warren, farmer, southwest city.  
Hower, Anthony, miller, south city.  
Heroy, Cynthia, widow, south city.  
Hilliar, Charles E., farmer, southeast city.  
Hawks, Charles P., farmer, southeast city.  
Hurly, N. E., farmer, southeast city.  
Hilliar, N., farmer, southeast city.  
Hale, O. P., farmer, southeast city.  
Hull, Orren, farmer, east city.  
Hankin, William, laborer, east city.  
Howe, Hiram, physician, east city.  
Harger, A., blacksmith, east city.  
Howe, George W., auctioneer, northeast city.  
Hutchins, William, farmer, northeast city.  
Hunt, B. B., farmer, northeast city.  
Herst, R., farmer, northeast city.  
Houghtaling, Isaac, Steward Co. House, Marshall R.  
Hibbard, L. A., mason, north city, Marshall R.  
HIRAM HAYNES, farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
Haynes, Harvey, farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
Haight, J. A., farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
Heath, Alva, shoemaker, north city, Marshall R.  
Hemingway, Emeline, northwest city.

## I

Ilk, Joseph, laborer, southeast city.  
Ingalls, Caleb, farmer, northwest city.  
Ide, James, northwest city.

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**J**

Johnson, Miles, farmer.  
 Johnson, James P., agent lightning rods, Branch.  
 June, Henry, laborer, southwest city.  
 Jesseph, E., farmer, southeast city.  
 Jesseph, Samuel, farmer, southeast city.  
 Johnson, Daniel S., farmer, southeast city.  
 Jeffords, Eliza J., east city, Chicago R.  
 Jordan, J. S., farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
 James, William, carpenter, northwest city.  
 Jacokes, T. H., clergyman, northwest city.

**K**

Keith, Edward, millwright, Branch.  
 Kittle, D., drayman, northeast city.  
 King, William, farmer, north city.  
 Keely, M., laborer, northwest city.

**L**

Lobdell, Richard, carpenter, Branch.  
 Laskoski, John, laborer, Branch.  
 Lynd, William, laborer, Branch.  
 Lynd, Robert, farmer, Branch.  
 Lynd, David, farmer, east Branch.  
 La Force, J., pump peddler, east Branch.  
 Lowe, George W., brick maker, east city, Chicago R.  
 Lincoln, P., farmer, east city, Chicago R.  
 Letson, William, farmer, east city, north Chicago R.  
 Larkin, Andrew, farmer, northeast city.  
 Legg, A., farmer, north city, east Marshall R.  
 Lekburg, Carl, farmer, northwest city.

**M**

Maxwell, Wyman, Branch.  
 Miller, Marshall M., farmer, Branch.  
 Mathews, George D., engineer, Branch.  
 May, S. P., laborer, Branch.  
 Maglaughlin, Thomas, laborer, Branch.  
 Mills, Sarah, Branch.

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Messenger, Jerome, farmer.  
Miller, Seth, carpenter.  
Munson, J. L., miller, Branch.  
Miller, John, farmer, south city.  
Malone, Samuel, farmer, south city.  
Moses, E. P., farmer, south city.  
Matthews, George B., carpenter, south city.  
Morehouse, Daniel C., farmer, southeast city.  
Miller, H. R., carpenter, southeast city.  
Miller, John, clergyman, southeast city.  
McConnell, Henry, farmer, southeast city.  
McCray, James H., blacksmith, southeast city.  
Mason, William B., farmer, southeast city.  
Mason, A. F., farmer, southeast city.  
Mason, Poly, widow, east city.  
Mason, H. P., farmer, east city.  
McGowan, J. H., prosecuting attorney, east Chicago R.  
Mains, Isaac, farmer, east Chicago R.  
Meads, Charles, farmer, northeast city.  
Myrick, Charles R., farmer, northeast city.  
Mosher, George, farmer, northeast city.  
Modert, M., carriage maker, northeast city.  
Modert, Peter, farmer, northeast city.  
Mudgett, William H., wagon maker, north city.  
Mead, E., farmer, north city.  
Mead, Alonzo, farmer, north city.  
Moss, Edward, farmer, north city.  
Moss, J. H., farmer, north city.  
Merritt, J. D., blacksmith, northwest city.  
Merritt, David, farmer, northwest city.

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Norton, Charles, farmer.  
Nye, Orella S., widow, south city.  
Nye, David A., farmer, south city.  
Norton, William P., farmer.  
Nichols, John, southeast city.  
Newman, John, farmer, north city.

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Newman, Thomas, farmer, north city.  
 Newman, William, farmer, north city.

## O

Odrin, Theodore, farmer.  
 Olmnsted, M. N., farmer, Branch.  
 Ormsby, Milton, mason, north city.

## P

Parkinson, Charles, farmer.  
 Post, Ebenezer, farmer.  
 Post, George, farmer.  
 Preast, Elizabeth.  
 Preast, Edwin, farmer.  
 Purinton, A. B., farmer.  
 Patterson, V. R., farmer.  
 Parsons, James H., farmer.  
 Purdy, R., turner, Branch.  
 Perkins, A. M., laborer, Branch.  
 Phetteplace, Lucius, farmer, southwest city.  
 Philips, Theodore, brick maker, southwest city.  
 Pender, Andrew, farmer, south city.  
 Parsons, Alfred, farmer, southeast city.  
 Parsons, George, farmer, southeast city.  
 Pender, Willard, farmer, southeast city.  
 Phelps, Timothy, farmer, southeast city.  
 Pelton, George, farmer, east city.  
 Parker, S. P., carpenter, east city, Chicago R.  
 Petch, William, farmer, northeast city.  
 Petch, Jarvis, farmer, northeast city.  
 Porter, James T., farmer, northeast city.  
 Paddleford, Joseph, farmer, northeast city.  
 Philips, H. M., mason, Marshall R.  
 Palmer, Mariette, widow, north city.  
 Philips, John, farmer, north city.  
 Preast, Alfred, farmer, northwest city.

## R

Randall, Orson, farmer, west city.  
 Randall, S. B., farmer, west city.

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Ransom, F., hotel keeper, Chicago R., west Lake.  
 Richards, John, stone mason, west city.  
 Roberts, Lyman, farmer, west city.  
 Rogers, Alva, farmer, south of Branch.  
 Rogers, F. M., farmer, south of Branch.  
 Reed, John, farmer, southeast city.  
 Rice, Eugene, farmer, southeast city.  
 Roberts, John, farmer, southeast city.  
 Riggs, Alfred, farmer, east city.  
 River, Daniel J., farmer, north city.  
 Rice, S. W., farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
 Rice, Sylvester, farmer, north city, Marshall R.  
 Reeves, John, farmer, north city.  
 Rockway, H., farmer, north city.  
 Rockway, T., farmer, north city.  
 Rockway, George, farmer, north city.  
 Ross, John, farmer, northwest city.

**S**

Shoecraft, Ezra, farmer, west city.  
 Shoecraft, B. B., farmer, west city.  
 Shure, George, farmer, west city.  
 Steward, Marcus, farmer, west city.  
 Sayers, Julius, carpenter, west city.  
 Sayer, J., farmer, Branch.  
 Smith, Solomon, laborer, south of Branch.  
 Smith, Danford, laborer, east of Branch.  
 Sanford, F., laborer, south city.  
 Sanford, Alva, farmer, south city.  
 Sanford, William H., farmer, south city.  
 Sands, David, railroad laborer, south city.  
 Slover, I. M., farmer, south city.  
 Stowe, G., farmer, south city.  
 Shiedler, John, farmer, south city.  
 Swift, Elmer, farmer, south city.  
 Scoville, William, farmer, southeast city.  
 Scoville, Marcus, farmer, southeast city.  
 Sinclair, B., farmer, southeast city.

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Sherwood, M. M., farmer, southeast city.  
Schumaker, J., farmer, east city.  
Sperbeck, John, farmer, northeast city.  
Sperbeck, Peter, farmer, northeast city.  
Sperbeck, Martin, farmer, northeast city.  
Shook, Morgan, farmer, northeast city.  
Stern, Mathias, farmer, northeast city.  
Schumaker, Charles, farmer, northeast city.  
Southworth, J. B., farmer, northeast city.  
Southworth, N. L., tanner, northeast city.  
Seabury, G. farmer, north city.  
Swaffield, Robert, farmer, north city.  
Strickland, Jerome, farmer, north city.  
Strickland, Johnathan, farmer, north city.  
Scott, James, farmer, northwest city.  
Smith, J. D., carpenter, northwest city.  
Smith, M. A., farmer, northwest city.  
Spencer, Abram, farmer, northwest city.  
Straight, W. P., farmer, northwest city.

**T**

Trumball, William, farmer, west city.  
Trumbull, A., farmer, west city.  
Tibbets, Daniel, shoemaker, east of Branch.  
Tuckey, Richard, farmer, southwest city.  
Tucker, Augustus, farmer, south city.  
Taber, O., farmer, southeast city.  
Tinkham, D., farmer, east city.  
Tinkham, O., farmer, east city.  
Thompson, A., farmer, east city.  
Taylor, William, farmer, northeast city.  
Thompson, Addison, farmer, north city.  
Thick, Levi, farmer, north city.  
Thick, John, farmer, north city.  
Thompkins, Jane E., north city.  
Timerson, Harmon, farmer, northwest city.

**V**

Van Tassel, William S., engineer, southeast city.

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Vanderhoof, R., farmer, north city.

W

Warren, H. O., farmer, west city.  
Wilson, James H., farmer, west city.  
Williams, Smith, farmer, west city.  
Wilcox, W. H., shoemaker, opp. Oak Grove Cemetery.  
Widmer, Jacob, city sexton, opp. Oak Grove Cemetery.  
Webster, William H., farmer, west city.  
Williams, F., laborer, west city.  
Whitaker, Daniel, laborer, south of Branch.  
Woodard, O. P., farmer, east of Branch.  
Wicks, Daniel, farmer, south city.  
Wicks, A., farmer, south city.  
Webster, Guy, joiner, southwest city.  
Willard, G. W., farmer, southwest city.  
Willard, Charles, farmer, southwest city.  
Weaver, Charles, farmer, southwest city.  
Whitten, George, cooper, south city.  
Winters, William, farmer, south city.  
Williams, Clark, farmer, south city.  
Williams, George B., farmer, south city.  
Williams, E. M., farmer, south city.  
Warner, Harvey, farmer, south city.  
Warner, Ross A., farmer, south city.  
Warner, Ray, farmer, south city.  
Warner, George, farmer, south city.  
Wilcox, J. R., farmer, south city.  
Ward, William C., farmer, south city.  
Wilson, Daniel N., farmer, south city.  
Weaver, Calvin, farmer, southeast city.  
Waggott, Robert, farmer, southeast city.  
Whitehead, Reuben, farmer, southeast city.  
Whitehead, F. R., farmer, southeast city.  
Whitney, Truman, farmer, southeast city.  
Wood, Olive, widow, southeast city.  
White, George H., east city, Chicago R.  
Ward, J. H., farmer, east city.

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White, David, farmer, east city.  
Warren, James, farmer, northeast city.  
Ward, George, farmer, north city, east Marshall R.  
Whitney, J. W., farmer, north city, east Marshall R.  
Webb, Henry, farmer, north city, east Marshall R.  
Walsworth, L. D., farmer, northwest city.  
Watkins, Alonzo, farmer, northwest city.

## Y

Yale, Hiram, farmer, north city.

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## CALIFORNIA TOWNSHIP.

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THE township of California is situated in the southeast corner of Branch county, bounded north by Alagansee, east by Hillsdale county, south by the State of Indiana, west by Kinderhook.

The first location made by actual settlement was in the fall of 1835, by Samuel Beach and J. R. Hall. The former has been dead some years; the latter still lives in the county. Mr. Beach, assisted by his son William and James H. Lawrence, put up the first house in the township.

In February of 1836 came the first white family—the family of Mr. Samuel Beach, consisting of himself, wife and eight children. Soon other "land lookers" began to throng the woods. The first who came were Mr. Ira Purdy, Stillman Elwell, and a young man by the name of Rice; and after the *wild* was broken, settlers came more rapidly, and now the township contains a population of 800.

James H. Lawrence, Ira R. Hall and others of the early settlers still live to see the changes which thirty-four years have brought about.

Mr. Hall was the jailor at Canandaigua, N. Y., at the time the mob took "Morgan" the mason from jail. At Hall's Corners there is quite a village, several business places, and a fine chance for more.

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GEORGE L. GUY.  
JAMES PAUL.

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**A**

Averill, James, farmer.  
Adams, James, farmer.  
Allen, Alfred, farmer.  
Adams, Ebenezer, farmer.

**B**

Bailey, Isaac, farmer.  
Broughton, Lester, farmer.  
Broughton, George, farming.  
Broughton, Eber, farmer.  
Bird, Richard, laborer.  
Broughton, John, laborer.  
Ball, Henry, laborer.  
Ball, John, retired.  
Ball, Charles, farming.  
Becks, William, farming.  
Bates, Archibald, farmer.

**C**

Copeland, Thomas, farmer.  
Caseben, James, farming.  
Cruthers, Samuel, farmer.  
Cruthers, Alexander, farmer.  
Carrithers, William, wagon maker.  
Carns, Robert, farmer.

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Chestnut, James, farmer.  
Carithers, John, retired.  
Clark, David, farmer.  
Clark, Samuel, farming.  
Clark, John, farming.  
Chestnut, Samuel, farmer.  
Colton, Hiram, laborer.  
Cass, Ira, farming.  
Cass, Elizabeth, housekeeping.

**D**

Dunkel, Jacob, farmer.  
Dawson, John, farmer.  
Douglas, Alexander, farming.  
Douglas, John, farming.  
Douglas, Daniel, farmer.  
Drury, Harvey, farmer.  
Drury, Fortune, work on railroad.  
Deemer, Daniel, farmer.  
Donelley, William, farming.  
Donelley, John, farming.  
Donelley, Sylvester, farming.  
Douglas, Alexander, Jr., farming.  
Dougal, Penwick, farming.  
Dunlap, William, farmer.  
Doyle, John, laborer.  
Depue, Jeremiah, farmer.  
Dover, William, works on railroad.  
Donahue, Elsie, housekeeping.  
Dobbs, Joshua, farmer.  
Duguid, Henry, farmer.  
Decker, Peter, farmer.  
Doyle, Samuel, farmer.  
Doyle, Andrew, farmer.

**E**

Ellis, Willard, farmer.  
Ellis, Aaron, farmer.  
Ellis, Helen, housekeeping.

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Edwards, James, works on railroad.  
Elsey, David, farmer.

**F**

Follet, Reuben, farmer.  
French, David, farmer.  
French, Elizabeth, housekeeping.  
French, Mitchel, works on railroad.  
French, John, clergyman.  
French, Ezekiel, farmer.  
Fulton, David, farmer.  
Foster, William, farming.

**G**

Graham, David, farmer.  
Gibson, Peter, farmer.  
Gibson, David, retired.  
Gibb, James, retired.  
George, Sarah, housekeeping.  
Guile, Hiram, farming.  
Gould, Jason, farmer.  
Gordenier, Jones, farmer.  
Gordenier, Gilbert, farmer.  
Grise, Peter, farming.  
Grise, George, farming.  
Grier, William, black smith.  
Gillet, Sereno, farmer.  
Gondleaf, Robert, farmer.

**H**

Horton, Philip, farmer.  
Harris, William, farmer.  
Hall, Thomas, farmer.  
Hamer, Samuel, farmer.  
Hamer, Samuel, Jr., farming.  
Hulse, John, farmer.  
Houk, Franklin, farmer.  
Hamer, Joseph, farming.  
Harrison, Wells, farming.

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Harris, John, farmer.  
Handley, James, farmer.  
Holly, Henry, farmer.  
Holden, Dennis, laborer.  
Hutchins, Admiral, farming.  
Harrington, Orrin, farmer.  
Harris, Alexander, farmer.

**J**

Jackson, Milo, farming.  
Judson, Henry, farmer.  
Jameson, Russell, wagon maker.  
Jameson, Samuel, farmer.  
Jameson, Penwick, farming.  
Jameson, Calvin, farming.  
Jameson, John, farmer.  
Johnson, Elijah, farmer.

**K**

Kelso, Henry, farmer.  
King, Charles, works on railroad.

**L**

Lawrence, Joseph, farmer.  
Lawrence, Harriet, housekeeping.  
Lawrence, Levi, farming.  
LAWRENCE, JAMES H., farmer.

**M**

McMurray, Hugh, farmer.  
McMurray, Moses, farmer.  
Mowray, Margaret, housekeeping.  
Miller, John, retired.  
McKinney, Joseph, laborer.  
McKinney, James, farmer.  
Monroe, Michael, farmer.  
Morrow, Edward, sawyer.  
Morrow, Thomas, sawyer.  
McClure, Andrew, farmer. P. O. Coldwater.  
Marshall, William, farming.

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Martin, James, farmer.  
Martin, Franklin, farming.  
Mitchel, Sarah, housekeeping.  
Mitchel, David, farming.  
McGow, Armon, farming.  
McKinney, William, farmer.  
McKinney, Samuel, farmer.  
Morrow, John, farmer.  
Morrow, John, Jr., farming.  
Monlux, William, farmer.

**N**

Nichols, William, farming.  
Noble, Johnathan, farmer.  
Noble, Stephen, farmer.  
Noble, Albert, farmer.

**O**

Odren, John, farmer. P. O. Coldwater.  
Odren, Alexander, farmer. P. O. Coldwater.

**P**

Paul, James, farmer.  
Peffer, Lucinda, housekeeping.  
Porter, William, farming.  
Porter, John, farming.  
Paul, David, farming.  
Paul, John, Jr., farmer.  
Paul, John, Sen., farmer.  
Patterson, William, laborer.  
Paul, David, farmer.  
Playford, William, farming.  
Playford, Edwin, farming.  
Pasco, Miles, physician.  
Perrin, Theron, clerk in store.  
Peffer, John, farming.  
Pridgeon, John, farmer.  
Pridgeon, Abram, farmer.  
Pridgeon, Jacob, farmer.

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Pridgeon, Samuel, farmer.

Purdy, Ira, farmer.

## R

Ritter, Silas, farming.

Read, Lucius, shoemaker.

Rockey, John, Jr., farming.

Rockey, John, Sen., farming.

Robie, Nancy, housekeeping.

Reynalds, Thomas, farmer.

Reynalds, William, farming.

Reynalds, Charles, farmer.

Reynalds, Oscar, works on railroad.

Reynalds, Robert, farming.

Reynolds, Charles, farming.

Raymon, Charles, farmer.

## S

Stokes, Amos, farmer.

Smith, Elias, blacksmith.

Sprague, Samuel, farming.

Smith, William, farmer.

Stockdale, William, farmer.

Stockdale, Henry, farming.

Schofield, Alanson, clergyman.

Stebbins, William, painter.

Stewart, Daniel, farmer.

Stewart, Archibald, carpenter.

Spear, James, farmer.

Seely, Charles, farmer.

Staley, Frederick, farmer.

Swatout, William, farming.

Sherer, David, farmer.

Sherer, Samuel, farmer.

## T

Thompson, Desire, housekeeper. P. O. Coldwater.

Talmadge, William, farmer.

Tindall, Smith, carpenter.

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Tindall, Frank, laborer.

Thompson, Hiram, farmer.

V

Vanorsdale, Joseph, farming.

Vance, Alexander, farmer.

Van Etten, Daniel, farmer.

W

Wilkinson, Warren, farmer.

Withington, Gilman, farmer.

Woodard, Wilson, farming.

Withington, Edwin, farmer.

Williamson, Cornelius, farmer.

Wallace, Edward, grocer.

Woodard, Roswell, farmer.

Woodard, Newton, farming.

Wiley, Thomas, farmer.

Whiten, Orrin, farmer.

X

Yockey, Andrew, farming.

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ALGANSEE TOWNSHIP.

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ALGANSEE was settled in 1835 by Samuel Crater, at the south end of Marble Lake, who erected a saw mill at the inlet of said lake. The Hon. Asahel Brown, William Bovee, Messrs. Goodman and Robins, are among the pioneers of Alganssee. This town was slow in its settlement owing to the amount of heavy timbered land, and as a great share of the settlers are from New York and the Eastern States where heavy timbered forests were plenty, the early settlers of this, as of other western towns, chose locations not requiring such extra exertions clear up the farm. If slow it was sure and now contains a population of 1420.

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Col. M. Mudge, of Quincy, Mich., wants Agents to canvass for the Security Life Ins. Co. of N. Y. See advertisement.

It is well watered by the Coldwater River and several beautiful lakes, and has the reputation of always furnishing its full quota of state officers.

Asahel Brown owns one of the finest farms in the county, highly cultivated and adorned with many native and foreign trees and shrubs, which causes the place to present an elegant and home-like appearance. The judicious management of his farm compares favorably with his legislative councils for the State.

Algancee Centre contains the post-office, a blacksmith-shop, saw-mill, school-house, and the office and residence of Dr. Williams, Representative elect for the District.

There is an extensive steam saw-mill in the south part of the town.

Algancee is bounded north by Quincy, east by Hillsdale county, south by California, and west by Ovid.

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F. D. RANSOM, JAMES STOW.

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#### A

Alsdorf, John, farmer, post office Quincy.

Archer, Saphronia, house-keeping, post office Coldwater.

Archer, Asher, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Ackerson, Abraham, farmer.

Ackerson, Joel, farming.

#### B

Barker, Joseph, farmer, post office Quincy.

Burleson, Lafayette, carpenter, post office Quincy.

Becker, Jeremiah, blacksmith, post office, Quincy.

Bogue, Isaac, laborer, post office Quincy.

Bennett, Elias, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Bennett, Noah, farmer, post office Quincy.

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Bennett, George, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Brocklebank, Obediah, farmer.  
Beadle, Richard, farmer.  
Billings, John, blacksmith.  
Brown, Joel, farmer.  
Bartholomew, Lyman, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bartholomew, Jahiel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bartholomew, Almon, wagon maker, post office Coldwater.  
Ballard, Seth, farmer.  
Bickford, McCajah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Baker, Nelson, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Baker, Eugene, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Baker, Byron, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Burch, Milton, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Burch, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Brown, Asahel, farmer, post office Qoldwater.  
Bunker, Charles, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Barber, Dewey, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Barber, Benjamin, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Barnes, Charles, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Bier, Nicholas, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Bier, Mathias, farming, post office Quincy.  
Boyden, John, farmer.  
Bender, Jacob, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Briggs, George, farmer.  
Bradley, Erastus, farmer.  
Bradley, Sereno, farmer.  
Bovee, Clark, farmer.  
Pettis, Harlo, farming.  
Brayman, Stephen, farming.  
Brainard, Ezra, farmer.  
Brainard, C., farmer.  
Bickford, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bickford, Ira, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bickford, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bovec, Jonathan, retired farmer.  
Burlingham, Henry, farmer.  
Burnison, John, farmer.

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Bugbee, Elias, farmer.  
Bugbee, Moses, farmer.  
Barrow, Peter, retired farmer.  
Bray, Amos, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Barnes, Joel, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Barlow, William, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Barnhart, David, farming.

**C**

Conley, Sidney, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Crawford, Robert, farmer, post office Quincy.,  
Canfield, Nancy, house keeper, post office Quincy.  
Chase, John, farmer.  
Craft, Rufus, farmer.  
Crapo, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Clair, Francis, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Clair, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Currens, James, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
Clark, Polly, housekeeping.  
Cann Otho, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cole, John, farming, post office Quincy.  
Corey, Charles, farming, post office Quincy.  
Corey, Martin, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Corey, James, farming, post office Quincy.  
Culver, Benjamin, farmer, post office Quincy,  
Culver, Jesse, farming.  
Corey, William, farmer.  
Clark, John, farmer.  
Campbell, Thomas, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Campbell, Henry, farming.  
Clark, Isaiah, farming.  
Craig, Benjamin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Coping, Michael, laborer.  
Canfield, John, farming.  
Catlin, Merrit, farmer.  
Catlin, Wrig' t, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Clark, Alva, farmer.  
Clark, George, farming.  
Clark, George, farmer.

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Clark, Josephus, farming.  
Clark, Sylvanus, farmer.  
Clark, Luel, farmer.  
Clark, Jerome, farmer.  
Corey, John, farmer.  
Courtwright, Caroline, housekeeping.  
Camp, Isaac, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Crater, Andrew, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Crawford, James, farming, post office Quincy.  
Colwell, Uriah, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Chase, Josiah, farmer, post office Quincy.

**D**

Degraff, Simeon, farming, post office Quincy.  
Dixon, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Demming, Wait, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Dore, William, farmer.  
Dunlap, Alexander, farmer.  
Depue, Joseph, farming.  
Dupher, Noah, farmer.  
Pupher, William, farmer.  
Dodge, Albert, farmer.  
Dewitt, Jared, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Depue, Joseph, jr., farming.  
Dunlap, Thomas, farmer.  
Draper, Reuben, farmer.  
Draper, Olney, farmer.  
Draper, David, farmer.  
Depue, James, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Dewitt, James, farmer, post office Quincy.

**E**

Enos, Rufus, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Enos, Alvin, farming, post office Quincy.

**F**

Finkbiner, Allen, farming, post office Quincy.  
From, Jonathan, farming.  
Fox, Asahel, cooper, post office, Coldwater.

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Finney, Luther, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Frazier, Robert, farming.

Flaherty, John, farmer, post office Quincy.

Fleter, John, laborer.

Fuller, Levi, farmer, post office Quincy.

Foster, Martin, farmer, post office Quincy.

#### G

Griswold, Asa, farmer, post office Quincy.

Gray, Darwin, farmer, post office Coldwater.

George Alonzo, farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Gilbert, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.

George, E., farming, post office Quincy.

Gage, Alfred, shoemaker, post office Quincy.

Gage, Amos, farming, post office Quincy.

Gordinier, William, farmer, post office Quincy.

Gordinier, George, farmer, post office Quincy.

Gallup, Frederick, farmer.

George, Leander, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Grice, Mathew, farming.

Gottschalk, Karl, farmer, post office Quincy.

Goodwin, Frederick, farmer.

Goodwin, William, farmer.

Goodman, Cleophus, farmer.

Goodman, George, farmer.

Goodman, Arnold, farming, post office Quincy.

Green, David, farmer, post office Quincy.

#### H

Hastings, John S., farmer, post office Quincy.

Hodges, Hiram, farming.

Hewett, Porter, farmer, post office Quincy.

Hastings, Esther, housekeeping.

Hanchett, William, farmer, post office Quincy.

Hodges, Andrew, farming.

Hamilton, James, farmer.

Hall, James, farmer.

Hall, William, farmer.

Hollister, William, farming.

Henderson, Eliza, housekeeping.

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Hermance, Horace, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hendrick, Leslie, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Harmon, Samuel, sen., farmer.  
Harmon, Samuel, jr., farming.  
Harmon, Charles, farming.  
Harmon, Henry, farming.  
Hall, Israel, retired.  
Hall, Frederick, farming.  
Higgins, Lewis, sawyer, post office Quincy.  
Hoffman, Albert, sawyer, post office Quincy.  
Hawes, Harry, farmer.  
Hungerford, Mathew, farmer.  
Hungerford, Henry, farmer.  
Harphan, Joseph, farmer.  
Hungerford, William, farmer.  
Hall, John, farmer.  
Hall, Henry, farming.  
Hadden, Joseph, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hildebradt, William, farmer.  
Hildebradt, William, sen., retired.  
Hoyt, Eli, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hayes, John, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Harris, James, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hildebrand, Frederick, farmer.  
Hagerman, Ernest, farming.  
Haynes, John, laborer.  
Hughes, James, farmer.  
Holcomb, Benjamin, farmer.  
Holcomb, Jerome, farming.  
Honk, Delilah, housekeeping.  
Honk, Duane, farmer.  
Herrick, William, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hocksey, Orton, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Hocksey, Charles, farming, post office Quincy.

**J**

Joseph, Mathias, farming, post office Quincy.  
Jameson, Alexander, farmer.

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**K**

Keeler, Samuel, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Keeler, Ebenezer, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Knapp, Charles, laborer.  
Knapp, Stephen, farmer.  
Knecht, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
King, Benjamin, carpenter.  
Knecht, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kelehier, Thomas, farming.  
Klein, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kriser, William, farmer.  
Kriser, Solomon, farming.  
Kriser, Benjamin, laborer.  
Kiser, Stephen, farmer, post office Quincy.

**L**

Lindsey, Russell, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lindsey, Alfred, farming, post office Quincy.  
Lester, Alva, farmer.  
Logan, John, farmer.  
Logan, Samuel, farming.  
Lyke, Abijah, farmer.  
Lumbard, Willet, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Letts, Peter, laborer, post office Quincy.  
Larkin, Edward, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lett, William, farming.  
Loomis, Franklin, farming.  
Lindsey, Theodore, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Laider, William, farmer.  
Laider, William, sen., retired.  
Lloyd, Benjamin, book agent, post office Quincy.

**M**

McEachron, George, carpenter, post office Quincy.  
Merritt, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Merritt, Anson, farmer.  
Miller, Frederick, farming.  
McClave, Charles, sawyer, post office Quincy.  
McClave, James, farming, post office Quincy.

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Martin, James, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Marshal, Lewis, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Martin, William, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Myers, Cornelius, farming, post office Quincy.  
Myers, Frederick, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Menges, Jonathan, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
McEchron, George, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Moffit, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Moffit, Arthur, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mead, Henry, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Moffit, Allen, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Myers, Jacob, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Mandeville, John, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Myers, William, farmer, post office Quincy.  
McNett, Samuel, farmer, post office Quincy.

## N

Noyes, Albon, farmer.  
Nixon, Thomas, jr., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Nixon, Thomas, sen., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Nichols, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Nichols, James, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Nickerbocker, Benjamin, farming.  
Niveson, George, farming, post office Quincy.  
Nichols, Everett, farmer.  
Nichols, Henry, farmer.  
Niveson, Nathan, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Niveson, William, farming, post office Quincy.  
Niveson, Robert, farming, post office Quincy.

## O

O'Liman, William, farming.  
Odren, Albert, farming.  
Odren, James, farming.  
Ogden, Henry, stone mason.

## P

Priddy, David, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Purdy, Alexander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Putnam, Ira, farmer, post office Coldwater.

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Poats, Joseph, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Perry, Darwin, farming.  
Pratt, Thomas, retired.  
Pridgeon, Joshua, farmer.  
Potter, William, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Parker, Elias, farmer.  
Philips, Daniel, farming.  
Parker, Silas, farmer.  
Perkins Henry, farmer.  
Purdy, Royal, farmer.  
Parker, Samuel, farmer.  
Polohff, Frederick, farmer.  
Potter, Asahel, jr., farmer, post office Quincy.  
Potter, Charles, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Potter, Norman, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Potter, Asahel, sen., farmer, post office Quincy.  
Potter, Bradley, farming, post office Quincy.  
Pitcher, John, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Pitcher, John jr., farming, post office, Quincy.  
Pratt, Lemuel, retired farmer, post office Quincy.

**R**

Rose, Hamilton, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Reynolds, Lorenzo, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Rose, James, farmer.  
Rice, H., retired.  
Ransom, James, farming, post office Quincy.  
Reffer, Henry, farming.  
Robbins, Lyman, farmer.  
Reynolds, William, farmer.  
Rosen, Charles, farmer.  
Royce, Herman, farmer.  
Ransom, James, farmer.  
Ransom, John, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Roundy, Franklin, blacksmith, post office Quincy  
Ransom, David, farming, post office Quincy.  
Reynolds, Dennis, farmer, post office Quincy.

**S**

Soper, John, stone mason, post office Quincy.

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of Quincy, Mich., is Gen. Agent. See advertisement.

Sebring, Sylvester, farming, post office, Quincy.  
Stockwell, Ira, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Spaulding, Asa, laborer, post office, Quincy.  
Stow, James, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Sherman, James, farming, post office Coldwater.  
St. Lawrence, J. Henry, teaching music, post office, Coldwater.  
Simpkins, Aaron, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Simpkins, William, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Streeter, Cornelius, farmer.  
Stephens, Linus, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Sanders, Philander, shoemaker, post office Quincy.  
Sanders, Hazelton, farming, post office Quincy.  
Sage, Wesley, farmer.  
Shumway, Alfred, farmer.  
Shumway, Levi, farming,  
Snow, William, laborer.  
Spaulding, Silas, laborer, post office Quincy.  
Smith, Emmet, laborer.  
Shutz, George, farmer.  
Southwick, Keziah, housekeeping.  
Spaulding, George, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Stewart, James, farming, post office Quincy,  
Safford, Benjamin, farmer, post office, Quincy.  
Spaulding, Samuel, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Spaulding, Mason, farming, post office Quincy.  
Streeter, Betsy, housekeeping, post office Quincy.

**T**

Trim, Zebedee, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Thorp, Almon, farmer.  
Taylor, Samuel, farmer.  
Taylor, Joshua, laborer.  
Taylor, Enos, farmer.  
Twiss, Franklin, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Tift, Albert, farmer.  
Thompson, David, farmer, post office Quincy.  
Tift, Roswell, farmer.  
Tift, Jerome, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Thompson, Charles, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Thompson, Hiram, farming.

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Ins. Co. of N. Y. See advertisement.**

Tindall, Peter, farmer, post office Quincy.

Taft, Jesse, farmer.

Thompson, William, farmer.

**U**

Underhill, Sarah, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.

Underhill, Jasper, retired, post office Coldwater

Underhill, Homer, farmer, post office Coldwater

Underhill, Norman, farming, post office, Coldwater.

**V**

Van Tassel, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Van Patten, John, farmer, post office Quincy.

Van Hoosier, Hezekiah, farmer, post office Quincy.

**W**

Wilson, Rueben, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Williams, James A., physician, post office Quincy.

Wright, Jay, farmer, post office Quincy.

Wright, Jackson, farming, post office Quincy.

Wright, Ira, farming, post office Quincy.

Wright, Alden, farming, post office Quincy.

Wright, Charles, farmer, post office Quincy.

Winchell, Caroline, housekeeping.

Warren, Samuel, farmer.

Wakeman, Eli, farmer.

Wakeman, Martin, farmer.

Wagar, Hanibal, farmer, post office Quincy.

Wagar, John, farming, post office Quincy.

Wymer, William, farmer, post office Quincy.

Wilder, Morris, farmer, post office Quincy.

Walworth, John, farmer.

Waterberry James, farmer.

Waterberry, Henry, farmer.

West, Stephen, farmer.

Winter, George, farmer.

Wenier, William, retired.

Waterbury, Lewis, farmer, post office Quincy.

Wilmoth, Joseph, farmer, post office Quincy.

Whaley, Washington, farmer.

Walbridge, Philander, farmer, post office Quincy

**Z**

Zirba, Isaac, farmer, post office Coldwater.

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QUINCY VILLAGE AND TOWNSHIP.

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HORACE WILSON was the first settler in the Township of Quincy. He located two miles east and three fourths of a mile north of the centre of the present village of Quincy in 1831.

He kept a hotel three years, and in the summer of 1834 went to Detroit for supplies and died while making the journey. He was highly esteemed. A widow, son and daughter were left to mourn his loss.

The daughter married E. G. Berry, M. D., who still resides in Quincy, and has at different times held offices of trust, and has filled

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them with honor to himself and his constituents. He is the oldest settler now living in the town of Quincy.

The son, Horace Wilson, still owns and resides on his father's farm. Wm. H. St. Clair settled one mile east of the town line. He sold to James G. Corbus in 1834. The house now upon the place is the oldest building in the township of Quincy—men came from Clinton, sixty miles, to help raise the frame.

In 1834 Samuel Berry and Reuben Cornish settled in Quincy. Mr. Cornish, in 1834, built the first hotel in what is now the village, the same foundation upon which now stands the "Quincy Hotel."

Among those who settled in the township of Quincy in 1834, were Mr. Vanselus, Henry Hastings, John Broughton, Mr. Loomis, and Conrad Knapp.

In 1835 many additional settlers came and settled in Quincy, among whom were George and Frank Babcock, the Berry, and the Clizbe families, and Samuel Alger, father of Isaac P. Alger, a skillful physician of Coldwater, an able public speaker, and the compiler of many of these sketches of pioneer life. Many are the quaint anecdotes told of Sam Berry, one of which follows: A lawyer called to see his son's docket—he being Justice—Sam told him "Enos han't got no docket he keeps it in his *head*, has gone away and carried it *with him*.

Quincy Township contains many fine farms, is well watered, and its inhabitants are wide awake thorough going people. Population, 1,534.

Quincy Village is situated on the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad, six miles east of Coldwater, contains a population, according to the last census just completed, of 1,094.

The village contains four churches, Methodist, Presbyterian, Baptist, and Episcopal, a fine school building of five departments, three hotels, good brick blocks of stores, and shops too numerous to mention, a large stave factory, foundry, flour mill, carriage factories, saw mill, a weekly paper, "The Quincy Times," published by The Times Company, many fine residences, and is, in short, a beautiful country village with bright prospects.

Quincy is bounded north by Butler, east by Hillsdale county, south by Alagansee, and west by Coldwater.

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J. W. MASON,

H. B. EDMONSTON,

C. B. JOHNSTON,

B. F. CLARK,

GUY E. BENNETT.

**TREASURER—G. B. KNIGHT.****MARSHAL—T. P. BURLINGHAM.****JUSTICES—MARTIN HAWLEY,**

GEORGE B. KNIGHT.

Council meets on Monday evenings, at Village Hall.  
—**CHURCHES.****METHODIST EPISCOPAL—West Chicago St., William M. Paddock,**  
Pastor.**BAPTIST—East Chicago St., C. H. Beals, Pastor.****EPISCOPALIAN—Service at the Baptist Church, supplied by the**  
Pastor at Coldwater.**PRESBYTERIAN—Fulton St., George B. Barnes, Pastor.**  
—**SOCIETIES.****MT. VERNON LODGE, No. 166 F. & A. M**—Regular meetings on Thursday before each full moon. Special—Friday evenings. Meets in Masonic Hall.

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GRAMMAR DEPARTMENT—MISS LUCY ANDRUS.  
SECONDARY—MISS LYDIA SWAN.  
PRIMARY—MISS JESSIE EDMONSTON.  
PRIMARY—MISS SARAH ANDRUS.

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### QUINCY BUSINESS LIST.

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#### A

**Alden**, Sutton & Co., general store and manufacturers of staves, heading, etc.  
**ALGER**, R. J., CARRIAGES AND WAGONS, cor. Main and Orange. (see advt.)

#### B

**Broughton**, E. L., drugs and groceries, south side Chicago.  
**Bennett** & **Sheldon**, drugs and groceries, south side Chicago.  
**BROWNELL HOUSE**, A. Brownell, propr., north side Chicago.  
**Brainard** & **Young**, furniture and undertaking, north side Chicago.  
**Brown** & **Mason**, harness makers, north side Chicago.  
**Brown**, M. M., notary public, north side Chicago.  
**BENNETT**, QUEREAN & CO., hardware, cor. Chicago and Main.  
**BURDICK**, WILLIAM H., teacher of penmanship.  
**Barjarow**, Isaac A., carpenter.  
**Baker**, O., painter, Main.  
**BERRY**, JOSEPH, general merchandise, cor. Chicago and Main.  
**Boyle** & **Welch**, coopers, near depot.  
**Berry**, E., attorney at law.

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**C**

Clark, B. F., attorney, south side Chicago.  
Carrel, D., ice cream and confectionery, north side Chicago.  
Church & Dalley, meat market, north side Chicago.  
Culver, P. J., cooper, near Mill.

**F**

FAYETTE HOUSE, H. L. Sillick, prop., south side Chicago.  
Fayette House Livery, H. L., Sillick, prop.

**H**

Herrick, L. A., homœopathic physician, King's block.  
HUNT, H. H., barber, south side Chicago.  
Haskins, Mrs. C. E., millinery and dress making, south side Chicago.  
Heyden, Mrs. Susan, photographer, south side Chicago.  
Hawley, M., steam saw mill, north of Railroad.

**K**

Knight, G. B., groceries and crockery, south side Chicago.

**L**

Lytle & Knowlton, hardware, etc., north side Chicago. (see advt.)  
Leland, S. S., agricultural implements, Main.  
Lampman, Mrs., & Bennett, millinery and dress making, Main.

**M**

MUDGE, COL. M., MANAGER MICHIGAN BRANCH SECURITY LIFE INS. CO., King's block. (see bottom lines.)  
Macklem, Mrs. H. S., millinery, south side Chicago.  
MACKLEM, JAMES, agent Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine.  
MYERS, D. C., WAGONS AND CARRIAGES, cor. Main and Orange. (see advt.)  
Marsh, F. E., physician and surgeon.  
Melvin, H. J., painter, Main.

**P**

POND, C. V. R., insurance agent, cor. Chicago and Main.  
Pray, P. H., dry goods and groceries, cor. Chicago and Main.  
Porter, R. M., prop., Quincy mills.

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Pratt, William H., groceries and provisions, north side Chicago.

**Q**

QUINCY TIMES, PUBLISHED BY TIMES CO., south side of Chicago. (see advt.)

QUINCY HOTEL, D. Carrel, propr., north side Chicago.

**R**

Robbins & Brundridge, meat market, south side Chicago.

**S**

SAWYER, D. W., postmaster, also watch maker and jeweler, south side Chicago.

SALISBURY, J. B., SASH, DOOR, AND BLIND FACTORY, AND STEAM SAW MILL. (see advt.)

SWEENEY, JOHN, BUGGIES AND CARRIAGES, south side Chicago. (see advt.)

Sylvester, H., blacksmith.

SPRAGUE, JOHN S., restaurant, Main.

**T**

TURNER, R. T. M., drugs and groceries, south side Chicago.

**V**

Vaughn, L. B., watchmaker and jeweler, south side Chicago.

VAUGHN, E., livery, south side Chicago.

**W**

Wilcox & Bro., boots and shoes, south side Chicago.

Wright & Co., groceries and crockery, south side Chicago.

Wheeler & Wilson sewing machine, J. Macklem, agent.

Wilber, H. C., boot and shoe maker, north side Chicago.

Wood, S. E., blacksmith, north side Chicago.

WHEELER, C. M., DENTIST, cor. Main and Chicago. (see advt.)

Westfall, G. D., cigar manufactory, cor. Main and Chicago.

Wilber, H., general store, north side Chicago.

**Y**

Young, A. D., & Son, bakery and grocery, south side Chicago.

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## QUINCY VILLAGE.

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### A

Arnold, Charles, farmer, west Chicago.  
Arnold, W. P., farmer, west Chicago.  
Allison, Mahlon, cooper, bds. at Quincy Hotel.  
Annis, Levi, millwright, Hawley.  
Alden, L. P., (Alden, Sutton & Co.,) north Main.  
Avery, Sylvanus, in stave factory, Boughton.  
ALGER, RILEY J., wagon maker, Cole. (see advt.)

### B

Bennett, C. W., (Bennett & Sheldon, druggists,) west Chicago.  
Badgley, J. J., dealer in patent rights, west Chicago.  
Broughton, E. L., druggist, west Chicago.  
Burton, King, carpenter and joiner, west Chicago.  
Boyles, John, cooper, west Chicago.  
Bennett, G. E., hardware merchant, west Chicago.  
BROWNELL, A., prop. Brownell House.  
Beadle, Jerry, tailor, bds. at Quincy Hotel.  
BERRY, E. G., farmer, Berry.  
Baker, A. D., cooper, cor. Chicago and Berry.  
Burlingham, T. P., auctioneer, Orange.  
Brown, L. B., grocer, Jefferson.  
Barnes, Mrs. A., widow, housekeeping, south Main.  
Burleson, A. T., retired from business, Washington.  
Bailey, Mrs. R. A., housekeeping, cor. Chicago and Depot.  
Brown, M. M., harness maker, east Chicago.  
Beale, H. C., pastor Baptist church, east Chicago.  
Ball, Mrs. L. E., housekeeping, east Chicago.  
Burdick, James M., mason, east Chicago.  
Bennett, A. H., painter, Main.

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Bennett, Stephen, shoemaker, Cole.  
Bennett, George R., laborer, Cole.  
Bush, Isaac, carpenter, Arnold.  
Bushert, Christopher, carpenter, Pleasant.  
BARNES, GEORGE B., clergyman, cor. Jefferson and Fulton.  
Berry, Frederick, in stave factory, south Main.  
BERRY, EZRA, lawyer, south Main near Chicago.  
Brott, David, prop. saw mill, Washington.  
Barjarow, Isaac, carpenter, cor. Chicago and Pleasant.  
Brown, A., works at depot, east Chicago.  
Bundy, Alonzo, wagon maker, east Chicago.  
Barhyte, Mrs., widow, Main.  
Brownell, C. W., hotel clerk, Brownell House.  
Bailey, W. J., printer, east Chicago.

## C

Coe, Richard, meat peddler, east Chicago.  
Culver, A. C., carpenter, east Chicago.  
Caswell, Henry, laborer, Hawley.  
Condra, Michael, section foreman, Hawley.  
Craig, J. C., barber, Cole.  
Cummings, Alexander, cooper, Arnold.  
Coats, John, blacksmith, Arnold.  
Clizbe, W. J., laborer, Washington.  
Culver, John J., book agent, Pleasant.  
Cole, William H., foundryman, Main.  
Cook, C. A., prin. union school, east Chicago.  
Chillson, Allen, east Chicago.  
Collingsworth, Rolin, laborer, Main.  
Coon, Abel, lawyer, east Chicago.  
Carrel, C. J., farming, east Chicago.  
Clowse, William, carpenter, Hawley.  
Caswell, L. D., dealer in lime, plaster, &c., Depot.  
Cole, Mrs., housekeeping, north Main.  
Cooley, D. G., farming, north Main.  
Cornell, Mrs., widow, housekeeping, Cole.  
Crater, Morris, engineer stave factory, Brownell House.  
Chambers, George, stone mason, west of Main, north of railroad.

CARREL, DANIEL, prop. Quiney Hotel, north side Chicago. (see  
advt.)  
 Conley, James, farmer, west Chicago.  
 Culver, P. J., cooper, west Chicago.  
 Church, Edward, butcher, bds. at Quincy Hotel.  
**CARREL, DANIEL, PROP. QUINCY HOTEL, N. S. CHICAGO.**  
 Carrel, Charles W., clerk Quincy Hotel, north side Chicago.  
 Chappell, David, laborer, West.  
 Conley, James, farmer, west Chicago.  
 Coon, Mrs. Ann, widow, housekeeping, Washington.  
 Clark, J. D., farmer, Pleasant.  
**CHASE, EZRA C., carpenter, Orange.**  
 Curtis, O. E., carpenter, Orange.  
**COOK, CHARLES H., carriage maker, Jefferson.**  
 Cooper, Benjamin F., carpenter, Jefferson.  
 Cary, D. W., produce dealer, cor. Main and Washington.  
 Clark, John F., farmer, Main.  
 Clark, D. F., lawyer, Main.  
 Corbus, J. G., farmer, east Chicago.

**D**

Dills, Elizabeth, widow, housekeeping, west Chicago.  
 Derris, Sylvester, works in stave factory, west Chicago.  
 Derrick, Franklin, West.  
 Day, Dennis, laborer, bds. at E. G. Berry's.  
 Dolph, Charles, mason and blacksmith.  
 Davis, Gardner, farming, Orange.  
 Day, George, carpenter, Orange.  
 Dally, Nicholas, farmer, east Chicago.  
 Dally, Alfred, butcher, east Chicago.

**E**

Edmonston, H. B., farmer, west Chicago.  
 Ethridge, Munson, farmer, west Chicago.  
 Ethridge, Charles, farmer, west Chicago.  
 Emmons, Jerome, mason, Hawley.  
 Estes, L. R., stave joiner, Hawley.  
 Evans, Hiram, wagon maker, Washington.

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Eldridge, John, works in stave factory, west of Main north of R. R.

## F

Fowler, Oliver, farmer, bds. cor. Jefferson and Fulton.  
 Freeman, A. E., carpenter, Jefferson.  
 Forbes, Mrs. O. A., housekeeping, Cole.  
 Ford, B. W., carriage finisher, east Chicago.  
 Frink, Joseph A., laborer, south of Chicago.  
 Finch, Lafayctte, wagon maker, Jefferson.

## G

GREGORY, ALDEN, farmer, east Chicago.  
 Graves, G. H., station agent, cor. Washington and Pleasant.  
 Greenleaf, John, farmer, east Chicago.  
 Greening, John, laborer, Hawley.  
 Goodnough, Willis, cattle broker, Main.

## H

Hyde, A. H., cooper, west Chicago.  
 Hanks, Alfred, painter, West.  
 Haven, George, in stave factory, West.  
 Hutchinson, John A., laborer, west Chicago.  
 Harris, E. J., laborer, Berry.  
 Holden, R. W., works in stave factory, Pleasant.  
 Haynes, Solomon, laborer, Liberty.  
 Harding, O. H., moulder, cor. Chicago and Fulton.  
 Hains, S. S., painter, Fulton.  
 Hedge, Polly E., widow, housekeeping, Fulton.  
 Hay, Robert T., mason, Jefferson.  
 Hay, James, mason, Jefferson.  
 Halsted, A., agricultural dealer, Arnold.  
 Hewett, J. E., engineer, Cole.  
 Herrick, L. A., physician, Orange.  
 Havener, Jacob, drayman, Jefferson.  
 Harding, O. H., at foundry, cor. Chicago and Fulton.  
 Harding, George D., cooper, cor. Chicago and Fulton.  
 Hastings, Mrs. C. S., housekeeping, east Chicago.  
 Hawley, Martin, prop. saw mill, Hawley.  
 Hawley, Cyrus, engineer in saw mill, Hawley.

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Hinings, Henry, boss on railroad, Brownell House.  
 HUNT, H. H., barber, bds. at Quincy Hotel.

**I**

Ingolls, Frank, laborer, Pleasant.

**J**

Jones, Perry, carpenter and joiner, Hawley.  
 Johnson, Jefferson, trader, cor. Washington and Pleasant.

**K**

Kidder, Willard, (Alden, Sutton & Co., dry goods,) west Chicago.  
 Knowlton, S. S., butcher, bds. at Quincy Hotel.  
 Knapp, William, railroad hand, west Chicago.  
 Knowles, Reuben, stave joiner, Pleasant.  
 Knowles, M., engineer, south Main.  
 Knight, George B., produce dealer, Jefferson.  
 Kirkland, A. S., cooper, cor. Jefferson and Main.  
 Keller, John, laborer, Cole.

**L**

Lusk, C., carpenter, west Chicago.  
 Lownsbury, H., (Alden, Sutton & Co.,) stave factory, west Chicago.  
 LYITTLE, A. S., (LYITTLE & KNOWLTON, HARDWARE DEALERS). (see advt.)  
 Lawson, Mrs., widow, housekeeping, Berry.  
 Lusk, Samuel R., farming, Washington.  
 Layton, Na:han, carpenter, Liberty.  
 Lampman, E., mason, east Chicago.  
 Lampman, Ira S., teacher, north Main.  
 Leeland, S. S., agricultural and feed store, north Main.  
 Lennen, Thomas, blacksmith, Washington.  
 Leary, O. Edward, laborer, Washington.  
 Lindsey, James, dry goods clerk, east Chicago.  
 Lampman, Moses, works on railroad, Boughton.  
 Lampman, Whitfield, carpenter, Boughton.  
 Lake, H. A., at Brownell House.  
 Lyman, Nelson, painter, bds. at Quincy Hotel.

**Col. M. Mudge of Quincy, Mich., general agent for the Security Life Ins. Co. of N. Y. See Advertisement.**

**M**

- Marsh, F. E., physician, west Chicago.  
 Morey, Simon, farmer, west Chicago.  
 McGinness, laborer, Berry.  
 McCORD, LESTER, laborer, Orange.  
 Mason, Elisha, carpenter, Orange.  
 McCarn, Mrs. C. E., widow, Main.  
 Myers, E., farmer, east Chicago.  
 Morey, Samuel, money broker, east Chicago.  
 McCOUE, C. W.  
 McIntosh, William, constable, Pleasant.  
 Melvin, G., painter, west Chicago.  
 Martin, Albert, drayman, Pleasant.  
**MUDGE, COL. M., GENERAL AGENT SECURITY LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY**, Fulton. (see advt.)  
**MYERS, D. C., WAGON MAKER**, south Main. (see advt.)  
 Mead, Philander, in stave factory, Arnold.  
 Melvin, H. J., painter, north Pleasant.  
**MUDGE, EBENEZER, EDITOR "QUINCY TIMES,"** east Chi.

**N**

- Nichols, Cass, farming, Orange.  
 Newland, G. L., painter, east Chicago.  
**NEWBERRY, PETER M.**, retired farmer, north Main.  
 Nichols, John, carpenter, cor. Main and Cole.  
 Newberry, Miss Mary, housekeeping, cor. Main and Cole.  
 Nichols, L. C., farming, Main.  
 Nichols, W. E., farming, Main.

**P**

- Pray, P. H., dry goods merchant, west Chicago.  
 Porter, Mrs. Julia, widow, housekeeping, west Chicago.  
 Pratt, Cyrus, well driver, west Chicago.  
 Prout, William, retired, west Chicago.  
 Potter, William B., retired, west Chicago.  
 Paddock, William M., clergyman, cor. Washington and Pleasant.  
 Porter, R. M., miller, Hawley.  
 Philbrook, Asa L., shoemaker, Main.

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Pond, C. V. R., general insurance agent, Fulton.  
 Penow, Levi, blacksmith, east Chicago.  
 Perring, Albert, laborer, Pleasant.  
 Perrin, Mrs., widow, Jefferson.  
 Potter, Mrs. Caroline, west of Main north of railroad.

**Q**

Qureau, J. M., hardware merchant, north Main.

**R**

Rogers, Daniel, works on railroad, west Chicago.  
 Rice, George Q., carpenter, west Chicago.  
 ROBBINS, LYMAN B., drover and butcher, Liberty.  
 READING, CHARLES, physician, cor. Main and Washington.  
 Rustine, Byron, railroading, east Chicago.  
 Rhodes, Nelson, teamster, Cole.  
 Redding, Wright, farmer, Jefferson.

**S**

Shelden, B. N., (Bennett & Shelden, druggists,) west Chicago.  
 SALISBURY, JOSEPH, sash and blind factory, west Chicago. (see  
     advt.)  
 Smith, T. R., laborer, Berry.  
 Standish, A. H., cooper, Washington.  
 Sylvester, Henry, blacksmith, Washington.  
 Soper, William H., engineer, Orange.  
 SWENEY, JOHN, wagon maker and blacksmith, Jefferson. (see  
     advt.)  
 Smith, R. O., grocer, south Main.  
 SPRAGUE, J. "., restaurant, south Main.  
 SAWYER, DANIEL W., postmaster, jeweler and stationer, corner  
     Chicago and Depot.  
 Swift, Lewis, engineer, east Chicago.  
 Snyder, M. B., life insurance agent, cor. Main and Hawley.  
 Sutton, J. B., (Alden, Sutton & Co.,) north Main.  
 Sewey, C. H., farmer, north Main.  
 Scripter, Benjamin P., peddler, Orange.  
 Scripter, Seymour, mason, Jefferson.  
 Snooke, Peter, works in stave factory, Jefferson.

**Col. M. Mudge, of Quincy, Mich., wants Agents to canvass for the  
 Security Life Ins Co. of N. Y. See advertisement.**

Shade, Andrew, wagon maker, Jefferson.  
 Shade, John, carpenter, Jefferson.  
 Shourds, Richard, farming, east Chicago.  
 Shear, Cornelius, farmer, east Chicago.  
 Standish, ——, retired farmer, Hawley.  
 Smith, Cicney, dealer in musical instruments, north Main.  
 SILLICK, H. L., prop. Fayette House, Chicago.

**T**

Truxel, Leander, laborer, Pleasant.  
 Turner, E. A., in stave factory, Washington.  
 TIBBITS, WILLIAM, retired farmer, north Main.  
 Titus, C. J., millwright, west Chicago.  
 Tift, Jane A., widow, housekeeping, Washington.  
 TURNER, R. D. M., druggist, east Chicago.  
 Taylor, Henry, retired, Hawley.  
 Thurber, W. H., carpenter, Jefferson.  
 Thurber, Lyman, carpenter, Jefferson.  
 Turner, L. N., retired, cor. Jefferson and Main.  
 Taylor, J. S., in stave factory, Cole.  
 Thayer, Isaiah, hostler, bds. west Chicago.

**V**

Vaughan, L. B., jeweler, west Chicago.  
 Van Camp, Stephen, blacksmith, east Chicago.  
 Varnum, Mrs., housekeeping, Pleasant.  
 VAUGHN, E. A., prop. livery stable, Washington.

**W**

WEATHERWAX, THOMAS, carpenter, Washington.  
 WILBER, HART J., stock broker, cor. Chicago and Wilber.  
 Wood, S. E., blacksmith, south Main.  
 Wright, L. S., farming, Hawley.  
 Westfall, Mrs., north Pleasant.  
 Whitmore, George, retired, north Pleasant.  
 Weaver, Daniel, laborer, Chicago.  
 Welch, Robert, cooper, bds. at Quincy Hotel.  
 Williamson, H. V., laborer, west of Main north of railroad.  
 Westfall, George D., cigar manufacturer, west Chicago.

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 of Quincy, Mich., is Gen. Agent. See advertisement.**

Wilber, Albert, engineer, west Chicago.  
Wilber, Ann, widow, housekeeping, west Chicago.  
Wilcox, Cyrus, boot and shoe dealer, west Chicago.  
Willis, James, carpenter and joiner, west Chicago.  
Wilcox, C. N., boot and shoe dealer, west Chicago.  
Wood, Richard, physician, west Chicago.  
Williams, Richard, in stave factory, West.  
Wentworth, E. D., carpenter, Washington.  
Wilson, Aaron, carpenter, Washington.  
Wood, James H., physician, Orange.  
Wilber, C. H., shoemaker, Jefferson.  
Wilber, J. H., shoemaker, Jefferson.  
Wilson, H. W., Jefferson.  
Wright, H. A., grocer, south Main.  
Wilber, W. J., dry goods clerk, south Main.  
Wilber, Havens, dry goods merchant, east Chicago.  
Witter, Seymour, farmer, Hawley.  
Whitmarsh, Horace, works in stave factory, Arnold.  
Wheat, B. F., produce dealer, north Main.  
Williams, D. G., peddler, north Main.  
Winslow, Ezra, farmer, Orange.  
Winslow, Allen, farmer, Orange.  
Wrightman, John, engineer, Jefferson.

## Y

Young, H. D., cabinet maker, west Chicago.  
Young, Asa D., grocer, cor. Jefferson and Main.  
Young, Daniel W., grocer, cor. Jefferson and Main.  
Young, H. W., farmer, Fulton.

## QUINCY TOWNSHIP.

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### A

Austin, Wesley, farming.

Ackerman, David, farming.

Ashton, Corbet, farmer.

Ashton, John, farmer.

Andrews, Lusina, housekeeping.

Allen, Park, farmer.

Allen, James, retired.

### B

Boles, George, farming.

Brickley, Jacob, farmer.

Brickley, Sylvester, farming.

Bowen, Elmira, housekeeping.

Barnhart, George, farmer.

Barnhart, William, farming.

Bellinger, Orville, farming.

Ball, Thaddeus, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Baker, Emma, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.

Bullock, Israel, farming, post office Coldwater.

Bullock, Lewis, farming, post office, Coldwater.

Belcher, Asaph, farmer.

Burlingame, Caleb, retired farmer.

Burdick, Asa, farming.

Bellinger, Danford, carpenter.

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**Examine both kinds Grover & Baker Sewing Machines before purchasing.**

Biddleman, Horatio, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Blackmer, Hiram, farming.  
Burdick, Oscar, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Baily, Major, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Barron, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bailey, Oliver, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Brook, Rebecca, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Bennett, Jacob, farming.  
Bordine, Benjamin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Boyinton, Benjamin, farmer.  
Boyinton, Jacob, farming.  
Briggs, Emeline, housekeeping.  
Boon, Orpheus, farming.  
Bunkey, James, farming.  
Bagerly, Reuben, farmer.  
Bagerly, Hezekiah, teacher.  
Boon, Jacob, farmer.  
Boon, George, farmer.  
Babcock, George, farmer.  
Bennett, Jacob, farmer.  
Barber, Albert, farming.  
Brown, Cornelius, farmer.  
Belote, John, farmer.  
Barber, Seth, farmer.  
Biggs, Lincoln, farmer.  
Biggs, Edwin, farmer.  
Barnes, Nelson, farmer.  
Beeker, John, farmer.  
Barnes, Walton, farmer.  
Bowerman, Elisha, farmer.  
Bowerman, Isaac, farming.  
Burns, Henry, farming.  
Bowerman, Lunda, farming.  
Baker, Samuel, retired farmer.  
**BERRY, JOSEPH, Merchant.**

**C**

Crater, Morris, farmer.  
Chase, William, farmer.

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**See advertisement.**

Chase, Charles, farming.  
Cusick, David, farmer.  
Carl, Morton, farming.  
Conley, Christopher, farmer.  
Coon, Thomas, farmer.  
Cook, Alanson, farmer.  
Clizbe, James, farmer.  
Clizbe, Eugene, farming.  
Clizbe, Ellis, farming.  
Churchill, William, farming.  
Crooks, Henry, farming.  
Culver, William, farmer.  
Culver, Levi, farmer.  
Craft, Silas, farmer.  
Craft, John, retired farmer.  
Caley, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Culp, Jonathan, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Casper, Lafayette, farming.  
Clizbe, Gilbert, farmer.  
Campbell, Madison, farmer.  
Campbell, William R., farmer.  
Cowell, Benjamin, farmer, post office Coldwater (box 915.)  
Conley, Charles, farming.  
Corwin, William, farmer.  
Corless, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, Leonard, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Casper, Levi, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, Jesse, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Corless, Bradford, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Culver, Walter, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Caswell, Charles, farmer.  
Cole, Lyman, farmer.  
Chapin, John, farmer.  
Church, John, farmer.  
Clark, James, farmer.  
Corey, Ransom, farmer.

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Chase, Hiram, farming.  
Clark, Thomas, farmer.  
Culver, Abram, farmer.  
Chittenden, Phares, farmer.  
Chittenden, Benjamin, farming.  
Chase, George, farmer.  
Chase, Henry, farming.  
Calvin, Moses, farming.  
Carpenter, Styles, farming.  
Corey, William, works on railroad.  
Corey, William, sen., retired farmer.  
Curry, William, farming.  
Campbell, Henry, farming.  
Cornell, Sharrad, farming.

**D**

Darwin, Harvey, farming.  
Decker, Martin, farming.  
Decker, George, farming.  
Dobson, George, peddler.  
Dobson, Angelo, farmer.  
Dickey, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Dickey, James, jr., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Day, Oliver, farmer.  
Denham, Nelson, farmer.  
Daggett, Henry, farmer.  
Daggett, James, farmer.  
Decker, Dennis, farmer.  
Dorris, Alvin, farmer.  
Dunham, Elijah, farmer.  
Deal, John, farming.

**E**

Eldred, Joseph, farmer.  
Enamons, Peter, mason.  
Evans, Samuel, mason.  
Eldridge, Robert, farming.  
Emmons, Charles, farming.

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Buy the Grover & Baker Machine. A. G. Stevens sells them. See advertisement.

**F**

Finch, Delos, farming.  
Fox, B., farming.  
Fowler, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fish, Levi, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Freeman, Lucy, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Finly, Mark, farming.  
Fay, Aaron, farmer.  
Foster, Joseph, farmer.

**G**

Gleason, Elias, farmer.  
Graham, Henry, farming.  
Granger, Francis, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Gould, Joseph, farming.  
Gilespie, James, farming.  
Graves, Orville, farmer.  
George, David, farmer.  
Goldin, William, farmer.  
Goldin, Miles, farmer.  
Goldin, Robert, farming.  
Gage, Richard, farmer.

**H**

Haynes, Solomon, farming.  
Hillman, Albert, farmer.  
Hopkins, Jubal, farmer.  
Harper, John, farmer.  
Hunt, James, farmer.  
Havens, Joseph, farmer.  
Hoben, Richard, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hays, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Huldy, George, farming.  
Henry, Charles, farmer.  
Hill, John, farmer.  
Harmon, George, farming.  
Houghtalin, John, farmer.  
Houghtalin, Jonathan, farming.  
Houghtalin, Henry, farming.

Hill, Judson, farmer.  
Hamilton, Joseph, farmer.  
Hayes, William, farmer.  
Hayes Ezekiel, retired farmer.  
Harker, George, farming.  
Hay, David, farming.

**J**

Jones, Joseph, farmer.  
Jones, John H., farmer, (State Senator.)  
Johnson, Lewis, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Johnson, Ira, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Johnson, Hezekiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Jones, Jonas, farming.  
Jenne, Asa, farmer.  
Jackson, Andrew, farming.  
Joseph, Mathias, farming.  
Joseph, Lucas, farmer.  
Joseph, John, farmer.  
Joseph, Lawrence, farmer.

**K**

Kanous, Andrew, farmer.  
Kemp, Norman, farmer.  
Keagle, William, farmer.  
Keagle, John, farming.  
Kenyon, Henry, farmer.  
Kean, Conrad, farming.  
Kenyon, Frank, farming.  
Keagle, Thomas, farming.

**L**

Lampman, Merrit, farming.  
Lockwood, Wesley, farmer.  
Lockwood, Libbeous, farming.  
Lampman, Peter, farmer.  
Lockaby, John, farmer.  
Lyon, Newton, farmer.  
Lockaby, William, farmer.  
Lewis, Aaron, farmer.

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**Second-Hand Sewing Machines taken in part payment for a Grover & Baker. See advertisement.**

Lock, Dudley, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Luce, Edwin, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Luce, Dewitt, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lapin, Washington, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lafleur, Chandler, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lafleur, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lusk, Samuel H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lownsbury, Ezra, farmer.  
Lashma, Alexander, farming.  
Loveland, Stephen, farmer.  
Lawrence, Richard, farming.  
Lawrence, Joseph, farmer.  
Lewis, Samuel, farming.

**M**

Mellen, William, farmer.  
McGinnis, Aaron, farmer.  
McVay, Eddy, farmer.  
Marks, George, carpenter.  
McGowan, Eli, farming.  
Moore, Alonzo, farmer.  
Miller, William, laborer.  
Miller, George, laborer.  
Murphy, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater:  
McCormick, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mallison, Ezra, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Mallison, Joseph, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Mellen, B. C., farmer.  
McVey, George, farming.  
McVey, Martin, farmer.  
Makeys, Storrs, farmer.  
Makeys, Wallace, farmer.  
McCormick, Robert, farmer.  
McClave, Ransom, farming.  
Mason, Lemuel, farmer.  
Moore, Joseph, painter.  
Morey, John, farmer.  
Nichols, Abijah, farming.  
Noble, Norman B., farmer.  
Newton, Leonard, farmer.

**N**

Nichols, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Nichols, Charles, stone mason.  
Newberry, William, farmer.  
Northup, Jacob, farming,

**O**

Olney, Martin, farmer.  
Oliver, James, farmer.  
Oliver, James, jr., farming.

**P**

Prout, William, farmer.  
Perry, David, farming.  
Perry, Edward, farmer.  
Patterson, Joseph, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Phelps, George, farming.  
Page, Elifalet, farming.  
Palmeter, Joseph, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Palmeter, John, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Palmeter, Sarah, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Plankel, M., works in saw mill.  
Polhamus, Albert, farmer.  
Perrin, Morris, farming.  
Poines, Edwin, farmer.  
Pratt, Ferdinand, farmer.  
Pease, George, farming.  
Picketson, D., farmer.  
Perkins, Samuel, fire insurance agent.  
Powell, Adna, farmer.

**R**

Reynolds, Norman, farmer.  
Roth, Frank, farmer.  
Roth, Casper, farming.  
Ransford, Edward, farmer.  
Reynolds, George, farming.  
Raymond, E., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Ransom, James, farmer.

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Richie, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rupert, Charles, carpenter.  
Reynolds, Joseph, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rossen, Charles, farmer.  
Rustine, John, farming.  
Rogers, John, retired.  
Rowe, Philander, farmer.  
Rice, Erastus, farmer.  
Ransbury, David, farmer.  
Roode, Walter, farmer.  
Rogers, Joseph, farmer.  
Rogers, William, farming.

**S**

Sinclair, Thomas, student.  
Standish, Henry, farming.  
Standish, George, farming.  
Standish, Jonathan, farmer.  
Smith, Sylvanus, retired.  
Shoemaker, Christopher, farming.  
Spoohn, Norman, farmer.  
Sparks, Lyman, carpenter,  
Shook, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, David, farmer.  
Smith, Riley, farming.  
Scofield, Alanson, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sears, Clark, farmer.  
Swift, Isaiah, farming.  
Sullivan, Michael, farmer.  
Stair, William, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, John, farmer.  
Stillman, Elicot, sawyer.  
Smith, Newton, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, Susanna, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Shook, Peter, farmer.  
Shook, Charles, farming.  
Sherman, Zebedee, farmer.  
Sherman, George, farmer.

Sanderson, George, farmer.  
Stephens, Elizabeth, housekeeping.  
Swan, Joseph, farmer.  
Swan, Zebedee, farmer.  
Stevens, Orra B., carpenter.  
Swity, Hannah, housekeeping.  
Swan, Eli, farmer.  
Squire, Almond, farmer.  
St. Clair, James, farming.  
Stufferbeam, Henry, farming.  
Seabery, Charles, farming.  
Sebring, John, farmer.

**T**

Trim, James, farmer.  
Turtlott, Alden, farmer.  
Turtlott, Carlton, farming,  
Taylor, William, farmer.  
Turner, Franklin, carpenter.  
Thick, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Twadell, Charles, farmer.  
Twadell, Rodney, farmer.  
Tracy, Washington, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
Turtlott, Charles, laborer.  
Tucker, Curtis, sawyer.  
Taylor, Edward, carpenter.  
Talent, Timothy, farming.  
Tolen, James, farming.  
Tate, William, farming.  
Thompson, William, farmer.  
Thompson, Charles, farming.  
Thompson, James, farmer.  
Tallent, Jacob, farmer.  
Thompson, Jefferson, farmer.  
Thompson, Daniel, farming.  
Thompson, Thomas, farmer.

**V**

Vanorsdale, John, farmer.

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Sides. See advertisement.

Vanorsdale, Ira, farming.  
Vangelder, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Vanorthwick, John, farmer.

**W**

Wheeler, Jerry, farmer.  
Wiser, Hiram, farmer.  
Weatherwax, John, farmer.  
Weatherwax, John, jr., farming.  
Welch, Alexander, farming.  
Wemple, Jacob, V. A., farmer.  
Wemple, Edward, farming.  
Warner, Eliza, housekeeping.  
Warner, Albert, farming.  
Warner, Elliston, farming.  
Williams, Alpheus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Williams, Edward, farmer.  
Williams, Henry, farmer.  
White, John, farming.  
Williams, Elijah, laborer, post office, Coldwater.  
Williams, Cordello, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Woods, Jesse, sawyer; post office, Coldwater.  
Woods, Lewis, sawyer, post office Coldwater.  
Williams, Henry, blacksmith.  
Warburton, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wood, Jonathan, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Wilbur, Ransom, farmer.  
Wilbur, Henry, farming.  
Wilson, Thomas, farming.  
Wilson, Horace, farmer.  
White, John, farmer.  
White, Manly, farming.  
Weaver, Jacob, farmer.  
Weaver, John, farming.  
Walley, Betsy.  
Warren, Lydia, housekeeping.  
Williams, Solomon, farmer.  
Williams, Gardner, farmer.  
Williams, Davis, farming.

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Walter, George, farmer.  
Warrick, Isaac, farmer.  
Wort, Henry, farmer.  
Wilber, Robert, farmer.  
Wilber, David, carpenter.  
Williams, Joseph, farmer.  
Woolcott, James, farming.  
West, George, farming.  
Wilmoth, Ephriam, farmer.  
Wilmoth, Alfred, retired.  
Williams, Dennis, farmer.  
Williams, Silas, farming.

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## BUTLER TOWNSHIP.

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BUTLER is situated in the northeast corner of Branch county, and is bounded north by Calhoun county, east by Hillsdale county, south by Quincy, and west by Girard. It was settled in 1836 by the Shooks, Purdys, Dennings, and Lindsleys, all thorough-going men. Jacob Shook was, at an early day, chosen County Judge, and he sat on the bench, like the paddy's owl, looking wondrous wise but saying nothing, and if he was thinking, no one has yet been able to learn what he was thinking about. In 1837 Asa and Jesse Bowen, and several others located in Butler, and though the most of these hardy pioneers have passed away, many of their children have grown up to call them blessed.

Willard J. Bowen, of Coldwater, is a son of Asa Bowen, of Butler, and is one of the most promising young men of Branch county. Butler is a town of timbered land and oak openings. It contains much valuable farming land, and many fine farms and residences. Whig Centre contains the town house, a wagon shop, stave factory, blacksmith shop, post office, and two steam saw mills, no stores, the trading being done at Quincy, Litchfield, and Homer.

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The Grover & Baker Machine is Easiest to Learn. See advertisement.

The town contains many fine school houses. Number of inhabitants, according to the census just completed, 1,430.

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TREASURER—ASHER B. LA FLUER.  
JUSTICES—DANIEL DUESLER,  
JOHN M. DAVIS,  
MOSES HOSKINS,  
HORACE B. POWERS.

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**A**

Allas, Adelbert, sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
Allen, Delos, sec. 25, post office Quincy.

**B**

Burbank, D. L., sec. 15, post office Butler.  
Baird, Augustus, sec. 9, post office Butler.  
Bowers, Mrs. M. D., sec. 4, post office Butler.  
Bowers, J. S., sec. 8, post office Butler.  
Brighton, Charles, sec. 9, post office Quincy.  
Butts, Perry, sec. 5, post office Butler.  
Barnes, B. C., sec. 8, post office Butler.  
Burch, Jacob, sec. 8, post office Girard.  
Brown, John, sec. 6, post office Girard.  
Burch, Wallace, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Ball, S., sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
Ball, Horace, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
Ball, William, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
Ball, Samuel, sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
Burch, Lafayette, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Bush, Jacob J., sec. 19, post office Quincy.  
Bissel, —, sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
Burleson, Hiram, sec. 31, post office Quincy.  
Brown, Andrew, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.

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All kinds Sewing Machines Repaired by A. G. Stevens. See advertisement.

Briggs, Gideon, sec. 1, post office Homer.  
Busely, Crocker, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Burgin, William, sec. 2, post office Butler.  
Bigner, John, sec. 25, post office Quincy.  
Boen, A., sec. 36, post office Quincy.  
Breakman, John, sec. 23, post office South Butler.

## C

Cowel, W., sec. 26, post office Quincy.  
Coleman, James, sec. 16, post office Butler.  
Curtis, Horace, sec. 15, post office Butler.  
Curtis, Henry, sec. 15, post office Butler.  
Curtis, Orrin, sec. 15, post office Butler.  
Curtis, Levi, sec. 15, post office Butler.  
Corkins, B., sec. 15, post office Butler. (stave and heading factory.)  
Corkins, Marquis, sec. 15, post office Butler. (stave and heading factory.)  
Crandal, Hiram, sec. 16, post office Butler.  
Coleman, Samuel, sec. 16, post office Butler.  
Crandal, Henry, sec. 10, post office Butler.  
Coleman, Mrs. E., sec. 10, post office Butler.  
Coon, James, sec. 3, post office Butler.  
Cory, H. B., sec. 4, post office Butler.  
Clark, George, sec. 7, post office Girard.  
Craft, William, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
Cleveland, Mrs. Mary, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
Clouse, Mahlon, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
Chivers, George, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
Chivers, John, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
Casey, Daniel, sec. 23, South Butler.  
Casey, Permeano, sec. 14, (blacksmith) post office Butler.  
Crandal, Alphonso, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.  
Cornell, William, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.  
Cornell, Gideon, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.  
Coleman, George, sec. 2, post office Butler.  
Calkins, M. V., sec. 2, post office Butler.  
Cox, Joseph, sec. 2, post office Butler. (miller.)  
Crandal, Thomas, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.  
Crandal, John, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.

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Buy the Grover & Baker Machine. A. G. Stevens sells them. See advertisement.

Coplin, Earl, sec. 24, post office Litchfield.

Curtis, E., sec. 24, post office Litchfield.

Curtis, Ira, sec. 24, post office Quincy.

## D

Darwin, Calvin, sec. 34, post office Quincy. (laborer.)

Dyer, Thomas, sec. 28, post office Quincy.

Day, J., sec. 28, post office Quincy.

Dresser, N. B., sec. 28, post office Quincy.

Dean, R., sec. 22, post office Quincy.

Dean, John, sec. 23, post office Quincy. (blacksmith.)

Devonport, R., sec. 22, post office Butler.

Denins, Dorus, sec. 9, post office Butler.

Decker, Lawrence, sec. 4, post office Butler.

Dodge, Melvin, sec. 21, post office Quincy.

Duesler, Daniel, sec. 19, post office Girard.

David, John, sec. 33, post office Quincy.

Day, E., sec. 19, post office Girard.

Decker, Jacob, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.

Davis, John, sec. 2, (laborer) post office Butler.

Dickenson, Reuben, sec. 11, post office Butler.

Dexter, Thomas, sec. 2, post office Quincy.

Dunhan, Mr., sec. 36, post office Quincy.

Delamatter, H. S., sec. 25, post office Quincy.

## E

Eaton, Alonzo, sec. 32, post office Quincy.

Edwards, Thomas, sec. 3, post office Butler.

Evans, Thomas B., sec. 21, post office Quincy.

Edwards, William H., sec. 21, post office Quincy.

Elliott, George C., sec. 12, post office Butler.

Elliott, Morell, sec. 1, post office Butler.

Egelston, Alfred E., sec. 1, post office Litchfield.

Eli, Wells, sec. 2, post office Butler.

## F

Fafer, Henry, sec. 33, post office Butler.

Fair, David, sec. 33, post office Quincy.

Farwell, Lorenzo, sec. 20, post office Quincy.

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Second-Hand Sewing Machines taken in part payment for a Grover & Baker. See advertisement.

Farewell, William, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
Ford, Daniel, sec. 14, post office Litchfield.

**G**

Geer, O. P., sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
Greek, John, sec. 7, post office Girard.  
Gilbert, James, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Gilbert, Stephen, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Gorbal, Joseph, sec. 19, post office Girard.  
Gary, Miner, sec. 1, post office Butler.

**H**

Hills, Cyrus, sec. 36, post office Quincy.  
Hadden, John, sec. 9, post office Butler.  
Huesteed, R., sec. 4, post office Butler.  
Hovey, Eli, wife, sec. 29, post offices Quincy and Girard.  
Hause, E. C., sec. 20, post office Girard. (carpenter.)  
Holmes, David, sec. 29, post offices Quincy and Girard.  
Hamilton, L., sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
Henry, John, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
Holmes, George, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Howes, Parker, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
Howes, Austin, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
Hager, J. C., (wagon maker) sec. 14, post office Butler.  
Hager, William, (blacksmith) sec. 14, post office Butler.  
Hammond, Israel, sec. 14, post office Litchfield.  
Hopkins, Chauncy, sec. 13, post office Litchfield.  
Haight, Phillip, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Hager, Joseph, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Hager, Jerome, sec. 11, post office Butler. (farmer.)  
Humphra, Major, sec. 24, post office Litchfield.  
House, F. A., sec. —, post office Quincy.  
Humphrey, Lyman, sec. 26, post office Quincy.  
Haskins, Moses, sec. 35, post office Quincy.

**J**

Jermond, G. S., sec. 10, post office Butler.  
Jackson, H., sec. 19, post office Girard.  
Jones, Esther, sec. 14, post office Butler.

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**K**

Knowles, Samuel, sec. 23, post office Quincy.  
 Kesson, Walter, sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
 Kenedy, Lewis, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
 Kenedy, George, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
 Kesson, Ira, sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
 Kenish, Charles, sec. 21, post office Girard.  
 Knapp, George, sec. 26, post office Quincy.

**L**

Lockwood, Adelbert, sec. 36, post office Quincy.  
 Laclear, H., sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
 Lovejoy, J. H., sec. 5, post office Butler.  
 Lucas, W., sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 Lucas, Governor, sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 Lindsley, Elijah, sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
 Lot, Israel, sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
 Lindsley, John G., sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 Lindsley, W. H., sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
 Lounsbury, W., sec. 30, post office Girard.  
 Lindsey, George W., sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 Lindsey, Asa, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 Lindsey, Franklin, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 Lindsey, Parmer, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 Lampman, Ambrose, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 Lutz, Henry, sec. 33, post office Quincy. (laborer.)  
 Lampman, Henry, sec. 14, post office Litchfield.  
 Lockwood, —, sec. 36, post office Quincy.

**M**

Myers, H., sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
 Martin, William, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
 McVay, Benjamin, sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
 McCone, J., sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
 More, Bradley, sec. 22, post office Butler.  
 McDonald, Josiah, sec. 9, post office Butler.  
 Manchester, Leander, sec. 6, post office Tekonsha.  
 Mulhiger, B., sec. 4, post office Butler.

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Miller, Samuel, sec. 5, post office Butler.  
 More, Jerry, sec. 8, post office Quincy.  
 McQuan, Joseph, sec. 6, post office Butler.  
 Meade, J. sec. 7, post office Girard.  
 Martin, W. L., sec. 19, post office Quincy.  
 Messenger, William J., sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 McIntosh, Horace, sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
 McCole, James, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
 Mann, Stephen, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
 Marsh, Clark, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
 Mills, P. M., sec. 2, (M. D.) post office Butler.  
 McDonold, R., sec. 10, post office Butler.  
 McVeigh, Henry, sec. 36, post office Quincy.  
 McGram, John, sec. 26, post office Quincy.  
 Mansfield, Pizarro, sec. 26, post office Quincy.  
 McGinness, Fayette, sec. 26, post office Quincy.

**N**

Norton, Joseph, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
 Needham, Thomas, sec. 24, post office Quincy.  
 Needham, George, sec. 14, post office Quincy.

**O**

Ostrander, F., sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
 O'More, Bradley, sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
 Oneil, John, sec. 10, post office Butler.  
 Odel, Loami, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.

**P**

Petterson, W. O., sec. 9, post office Butler.  
 Parsons, B., sec. 10, post office Quincy.  
 Pell, John, sec. 5, post office Butler.  
 Page, E., sec. 8, post office Butler.  
 Perry, Ledger, sec. 31, post office Quincy.  
 Partee, Jackson, sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
 Powers, H., sec. 16, post office South Butler.  
 Pierce, S. V., sec. 16, post office South Butler.  
 Pratt, H. H., sec. 1, post office Butler.  
 Pratt, Eugene, sec. 1, post office Butler.

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Pratt, James, sec. 1, post office Butler.  
Putman, Mrs. E., sec. 3, post office Butler.  
Paul, Joseph, sec. 2, post office Butler. (shoemaker.)  
Paul, John, sec. 2, post office Butler. (shoemaker.)  
Priest, Nathan, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Priest, Albert, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Press, William, sec. 26, post office Quincy.

## R

Reynolds, Edward, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
Ryan, Thomas, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
Rockwell, A. J., sec. 33, post office Quincy.  
Rogers, M. C., sec. 28, post office Quincy.  
Rogers, H., sec. 22, post office Quincy.  
Rowley, Leonard, sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
Rymes, George, sec. 3, post office Butler.  
Rosster, Byron, sec. 5, post office Butler.  
Russell, H. Wain, sec. 8, post office Butler.  
Ramsdel, V. S., sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
Ritts, Frank, sec. 28, post office Quincy.  
Ramsdell, Lorenzo, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
Rose, Elias, sec. 18, post office Girard.  
Ramsdel, F., sec. 29, post office Girard.  
Resh, Jacob, sec. 32, post office Coldwater.  
Rogers, John, sec. 22, post office South Butler.  
Reynolds, George W., sec. 14, post office Quincy.  
Rosman, William, sec. 14, 15, post office Butler.  
Rosencrans, Richard, sec. 2, post office Butler.  
Rogers, Sylvester, sec. 2, (sawyer) post office Butler.  
Rogers, Alonzo, sec. 11, post office Litchfield.  
Reed, Henry J., sec. 11, post office Litchfield.

## S

Shelf, Henry, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
Sheldon, Ira, sec. 6, post office Tekonsha.  
Spook, Andrew, sec. 5, post office Butler.  
Smith, Truman, sec. 4, post office Butler.  
Sperry, Peter W., sec. 8, post office Butler.  
Smith, Amos, sec. 7, post office Girard.

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Smith, Samuel, sec. 6, post office Girard.  
 Smith, Chauncy, sec. 28, post office Quincy.  
 Smith, Mary, Mrs., sec. 28, post office Quincy.  
 Smith, John, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
 Smith, Calvin, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
 Smith, Elisha, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
 Sparks, Wesley, sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
 Smith, John, sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 Smith, David, sec. 21, post office Girard.  
 Spark, John, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
 Sears, Edgar, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
 Smith, Anson, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
 Smith, John, sec. 31, post office Coldwater.  
 Sadler, John, sec. 32, post office Coldwater.  
 Shipman, Frank, (carpenter) sec. 15, post office Butler.  
 Storms, John, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.  
 Saunders, Gabriel, sec. 1, post office Butler.  
 Sharp, Charles, sec. 14, post office Litchfield.  
 Sharp, E. M.. sec. 14, post office Litchfield.  
 Smith, George, sec. 24, post office Litchfield.  
 Smith, Abram, sec. 24, post office Litchfield.  
 Sprague, Warren, sec. 26, post office Quincy.

**T**

Turner, T. J., sec. 16, post office Butler.  
 Turner, Pat, sec. 8, post office Girard.  
 Tinen, James, sec. 7, post office Girard.  
 Turner, William, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
 Taylor, George, sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
 Taylor, William, sec. 30, post office Quincy.  
 Taylor, R., sec. 19, post office Girard.  
 Thompkins, A. R., (engineer) post office South Butler.  
 Thompson, Millon, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.

**V**

Vicory, Jack, sec. 20, post office Girard.  
 Vicory, Anson, sec. 8, post office Girard.  
 Vicory, Lorenzo, sec. 20, post office Girard.

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**Nearly 200 Grover & Baker Machines are in use in Coldwater.**  
**See Advertisement.**

Veeder, James, sec. 33, (carpenter) post office Quincy.  
Vangiesen, T. H., sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Vangiesen, Leroy, sec. 11, post office Butler.  
Vangiesen, George, sec. 11, post office Litchfield.  
Vangiesen, William, sec. 11, post office Litchfield.  
Vicory, S. W., sec. 14, post office Litchfield.  
Vicory, W. G., sec. 11, post office Litchfield.  
Vanscuter, Solomon, sec. 24, post office Litchfield.  
Vanorthwie, Aaron, sec. 36, post office Quincy.

**W**

Williams, Emmor, sec. 35, post office Quincy.  
Williams, Charles, sec. 21, post office South Butler.  
Wait, Martin, sec. 9, post office Butler.  
Wait, Joseph, sec. 8, post office Butler.  
Wait, Mrs. L., sec. 8, post office Butler.  
White, Milo, sec. 29, post office Quincy.  
Wilcox, Steward, sec. 28, post office Quincy.  
White, Charles, sec. 20, post office Quincy.  
Williams, Harlo, sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
Wilcox, Amos, Sen., sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
Wilcox, Amos, Jun., sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
Williams, Charles, sec. 21, post office Quincy.  
Wetherwax, Joseph A., sec. 32, post office Quincy.  
Wood, J. W., sec. 16, post office South Butler.  
Wood, Austin, sec. 16, post office South Butler.  
Welch, H. S., sec. 14, post office South Butler.  
Warner, George, sec. 12, post office Litchfield.  
Wade, Chaunchy, sec. 1, post office Litchfield.  
Williams, Asa, sec. 2, post office Butler. (blacksmith.)

## GIRARD TOWNSHIP.

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GIRARD is bounded north by Calhoun County, east by Butler, south by Coldwater, and west by Union. It was settled, in 1830, by James B. Thompkins, Joseph and James Corbus, Edward Hanchett, and Henry Vanhenning, all still living, worthy and honored citizens.

The township of Girard is one of the finest agricultural districts in the county. It contains "Cookush Prairie," which occupies about one-third of the center of the township. It is watered by Hog Creek, which runs nearly through the center of the town.

The soil is rich, and very fertile. Many fine residences and well cultivated farms show the inhabitants to be intelligent and enterprising. It contains a population of 1,238.

Girard Center contains the post-office, two general stores, three blacksmith shops, one boot and shoe shop, a carriage and wagon shop, two churches—Baptist and Methodist,—a fine school building, and several other public buildings and residences, the office and residence of Dr. Chauncy, an old resident of the town, and Dr. Clizbee, a young man lately graduated from Ann Arbor, who is rapidly gaining a good reputation as a physician.

In 1831 there settled on the west side of Girard Prairie Benjamin Smith, Martin Barnhart, and Mr. Craig. Mr. Smith is still living, and owns one of the finest farms on the prairie. Mr. Barnhart's grist mill and saw mill at Hodunk, are known as the Cookush Mills.

Henry Vanhinning, in the spring of 1831, when plowing his lot for corn, was stopped by the Indians, who thought him encroaching upon their rights. Mr. V. went for Mr. Corbus, who came as arbiter between him and the Indians. The difficulty was amicably settled by Mr. V.'s agreeing to give them one half of the crop. The next spring William McCarty plowed a lot for the Indians, on the east prairie, at \$5 per day, "Shu-ne-ah," (silver).

There is an extensive cheese factory, supplied by 200 cows, located

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**Buy the Grover & Baker Machine. A. G. Stevens sells them. See advertisement.**

on the farm of Abram J. Aldrich, who has one of the finest farms in the county, situated one mile from Orangeville post office.

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ALLEN C. SHEPARDSON,

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**A**

Alexander, J., farmer.

Aldrich, L. A., farmer.

Aldrich, E. D., farmer.

Arthur, Alexander, mason.

Albro, N. F., farmer.

Aldrich, A. J., farmer.

Ackerman, H., farmer.

Abel, M. T., farmer.

Aikin, J. M., farmer.

Adolph, Mrs. Anna, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.

Adolph, Philip, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Ackerman, William, farmer, post office Orangeville.

**B**

Bidwell, D. F., farmer.

Barnum, Samuel, farmer.

Birch, Foston, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Baldwin, Ambrose, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Beasom, Samuel B., farmer.

Barney, James, farmer.

Barney, Albert, farmer.

Brown, Cassius, carpenter.

Booker, George, farmer.

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Baird, A., carpenter.  
Button, John, farmer.  
Brewster, George, farmer.  
Barry, William H., farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Barnhart, M. D., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Burke, Margaret, post office Orangeville.  
Burke, James, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
Branning, O. C., farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Branning, William H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Benson, Homer, farmer.  
Bidwell, Seth, farmer.  
Bishop, James, farmer.  
Bradley, A., cooper.  
Baldwin J., writing teacher.  
Bailey, William, farmer.  
Bailey, James, farmer.  
Barnhart, Laban, farmer.  
Bennett, D. C., farmer.

**C**

Cornell, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cobb, Phebe.  
Cuyler, Aaron, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cuyler, Rufus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cornell, Reuben, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Colville, Robert, farmer.  
Cornell, D. S., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cawkins, Orville, farmer.  
Carter, William, farmer.  
Carter, Lucius, farmer.  
Champion, Samuel, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Champion, Ware, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Champion, Luther, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Clements, John H., farmer.  
Cudner, Alexander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Clements, Cortland, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cudner, Homer, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Chaffee, Joel, farmer.  
Carpenter, S. A., farmer.

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Cox, George, Jr., farmer.  
Cox, George, Sen., farmer.  
Chauncy, David, stone mason.  
Chauncy, Andrew, farmer.  
Chauncy, Charles, stone mason.  
Corbus, Joseph C., farmer.  
Corbus, Joseph G., farmer.  
Clizbe, Stephen, physician.  
Chauncy, Moses, physician.  
Carl, Henry E., farmer.  
Cavert, William W., farmer.  
Craig, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Craig, Eliza, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.

**D**

Dutcher, Letty, widow.  
Dutcher, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Davison, John, farmer.  
Demarest, Charles, farmer.  
Dedrick, John, farmer.  
Dubs, George R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Dunton, Alfred, clergyman.  
Demarest, Henry, carpenter.  
Demarest, Jane, widow.  
Demarest, Harriet.  
Day, A. R., surveyor.  
Dean, Joseph, blacksmith.  
Demarest, Charles H., farmer.  
Dean, L., blacksmith.  
Demarest, A., farmer.  
Demarest, William, carpenter.  
Dion, M., laborer.  
Dayton, Hiram, laborer.  
Davis, George S., farmer, post office Orangeville.

**E**

Estlow, Benjamin, S., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Everett, Daniel, farmer.  
Everett, Charles H., farmer, post office Coldwater.

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Sewing Machines to Rent by A. G. Stevens. See advertisement.

Errett, Joseph, shoemaker.  
Eldred, S. A., farmer.  
Eldred, George R., farmer.  
Embley, James, wagon maker.  
Eldridge, A., farmer.  
Eldridge, George R., farmer.  
Eldridge, Hoxie, farmer.  
Elting, J., farmer.  
Elting, Theron, farmer.  
Eldred, Ruba A.  
Eldred, J. E., farmer.  
Eldred, Gilbert, farmer.

**F**

Fulcher, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fulcher, George H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Faxon, Josiah, farmer.  
Faxon, Charles S., painter.  
Fox, Harriet.  
Fisher, John, pensioner, post office Coldwater.  
Foster, Rachel.  
Fox, Benton, farmer.  
Foster, E. L., carpenter.  
French, Levi, farmer.  
French, John, farmer.  
Fisk, N., farmer.  
Fisk, B., farmer.  
Faulkner, Charles, farmer.  
Faulkner, John, farmer.

**G**

Gould, Clinton, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gould, Richard, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gould, Philander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gorsball, S. M., farmer.  
Granger, John, farmer.  
Gorball, Robert, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gorball, James, farmer.  
Gorball, George, carpenter.

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**A. G. Stevens, agent for the Grover & Baker Sewing Machines. See advertisement.**

Gray, O. B., harness maker.  
Goff, Farmer, wagon maker.  
Grove, Peter, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Grove, John P., farmer, post office Orangeville.

## H

Holland, Chester, farmer.  
Huntley, M., farmer.  
Hankin, J. D., farmer.  
Hubbard, Philip A., farmer.  
Harris, Sanford, farmer.  
Heddle, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hall, Alfred, farmer.  
Hudson, Joseph, farmer.  
Hugunin, David, farmer.  
Hollenbeck, Casper, farmer.  
Hollenbeck, Truman, farmer.  
Hollenbeck, Russell, farmer.  
Husker, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hanna, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Holiday, Abram, farmer.  
Hoard, George, farmer.  
Hudson, Emmons, farmer.  
Hawley, William B., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hawley, Willard, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hilton, N. G., millwright.  
Hanthom, Thomas, farmer.  
Hanthom, George L., farmer.  
Hanthom, T. S., farmer.  
Hinkley, E., lawyer.

## I

Inglesby, Samuel, farmer.

## J

Jackson, J. F., farmer.  
Johnson, S. H., farmer.  
Johnson, George W., farmer.  
Johnson, Prosper, farmer.

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Jones, George W., farmer.  
Jones, Adam, clergyman.  
Jones, Calvin, farmer.  
June, L., farmer.  
Johnson, George B., farmer.

**K**

King, Fayette C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Knapp, Reuben, farming.  
Kingston, Daniel, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Kingston, David, farmer.  
Kirby, Richard, farmer.  
Kingsley, George, farmer.  
Kingsley, Edwin, farmer.  
Kingsley, George B. H., farmer.

**L**

Leisenring, N. C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Loomis, Adna, farmer.  
Lyman, Orlando, farmer.  
Lyman, Edson, farmer.  
Lee, A. S., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lucas, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lucas, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lucas, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lawrence, S. E., carpenter.  
Lake, N., farmer.  
Lane, Harvey, blacksmith.  
Lossing, H. B., farmer.  
Leeland, Y., farmer.  
Lake, William W., farmer.  
Loring, John, farmer.  
Loring, George, farmer.  
Liew, Charles, farmer.

**M**

Markham, Marcus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Milham, A. D., farmer.  
McVean, D., farmer,

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Moor, S., farmer.  
Morsford, William H., farmer.  
Morsford, James F., farmer.  
Morsford, John F., joiner.  
Morsford, James B., farmer.  
Morsford, Frederick S., farmer.  
Monfort, Harvey, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Millard, N. M., farmer.  
Millard, W. A., farmer.  
Mann, Peter I., farmer.  
Mann, Jacob, farmer.  
Miller, Samuel, farmer.  
Moore, O. C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mann, Polly.  
Miller, Patience.  
Morrison, J., farmer.  
Morrison, P., carpenter.  
Morrison, R., farmer.  
Mack, Truman, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Mitchell, E., farmer.  
Manchester, Catharine, pensioner.

**N**

Noble, Jerry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Newman, James S., moulder.  
Newton, Silas, farmer.  
Norton, Charles, farmer.  
Nye, Ira L., farmer.

**O**

Odrin, Alexander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ostrom, S. Z., farmer.  
Olney, J. D., blacksmith.  
Osborn, Sherman, farmer.  
Olney, William, farmer.  
Olney, Stephen, farmer.  
Olney, Jesse, farmer.  
Olney, F., farmer.  
Olney, Thomas, farmer.

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Nearly 200 Grover & Baker Machines are in use in Coldwater.  
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**P**

Parkinson, C. E., farmer.  
Peterson, R. B., sawyer.  
Park, John, farmer.  
Parker, E. W., farmer.  
Prentice, Charles, farmer.  
Potter, Amos, farmer.  
Parker, R. F., farmer.  
Pett, John, farmer.  
Paddock, Alfred, farmer.  
Pickens, A. A., farmer.  
Proctor, John R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Pierce, J. Clark, farmer.  
Peer, Cornelius, farmer.  
Paddock, E. J., farmer.  
Pelton, W. H., shoemaker.  
Perry, James, post office clerk.  
Perry, Edward, harness maker.  
Perry, Martha, post mistress.  
Prentiss, William, clergyman.  
Pierce, Henry, farmer.  
Pendill, James, farmer.  
Pendill, James, Jr., farmer.  
Prentice, Curtis, farmer.

**R**

Rowley, R. B., farmer.  
Reynolds, Moses, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rose, William H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rose, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rose, Albert, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Russell, George, farmer and cooper.  
Russell, George A., farmer.  
Rice, Eber, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Richards, A., wagon maker.  
Richards, Charles K., teamster.  
Rice, Russell, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Reed, Harriet M.

Rice, Perry, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Rowley, S., farmer.

Rush, H. M., farmer, post office Coldwater.

## S

Sheldon, Charles, farmer.

Sillick, Martin, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Sutherland, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Shafer, Andrew, farmer.

Scholey, Eugene, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Strong, Daniel H., farmer.

Strong, Calvin, farmer.

Skinkle, Cornelius, farmer.

Sisco, E. D., farmer.

Stelling, Luke, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Sprague, F. S., farmer.

Smith, A. L., farmer.

Smith, Benjamin H., farmer.

Skinkle, John C., farmer.

Smith, Benjamin H., Jr., farmer.

Smith, L. F., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Sabins, J. J., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Shepardson, A. C., farmer.

Swan, George, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Scuffam, Michael, farmer.

Sidley, David, farmer.

Shield, Samuel H., farmer.

Sherman, Udolph, farmer.

Stere, R. A., farmer.

Spencer, Sylvester, farmer.

Stray, George W., farmer.

Stray, George, farmer.

Stray, Lucius, farmer.

Smart, Orson L., farmer.

Smart, John, farmer.

Shannon, M., farmer.

Smith, Charles F., cooper, post office Orangeville.

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**T**

Thompkins, Moses, farmer.  
Thompson, Chester, farmer.  
Taylor, Thomas, farmer.  
Tiffany, Bennet, farmer.  
Tiffany, Albert, farmer.  
Thompkins, James B., farmer.  
Thompkins, Theron, farmer.  
Thompkins, Martin, farmer.  
Thayer, Rufus, farmer.  
Thayer, J. B., farmer.  
Tegles, Jacob, farmer.  
Tegles, Sylvester, farmer.  
Ten Eyck, Charles, farmer.  
Tegles, Thomas, mason.  
Thompkins, Charles, farmer.  
Taylor, Rufus, farmer.

**V**

Vanaiken, George W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Van Blarcum, Joseph, farmer.  
Vanolonda, G. W., farmer.  
Van Blarcum, J. R., farmer.  
Van Blarcum, Charles H., farmer.  
Van Blarcum, Daniel S., farmer.  
Vincent, Owen, farmer.  
Van Hining, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**W**

Waldo, E. M., farmer.  
Warner, Miles, farmer.  
Warner, John, farmer.  
Walters, Isaac, farmer.  
Walters, Anthony, farmer.  
Webber, George W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Walker, John M., farmer.  
Wagner, Gratton, farmer.  
Worden, W. V., farmer.

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Williams, Ira E., farmer.  
Wolcott, William, farmer.  
Whiteside, James, farmer.  
Williams, John B., druggist.  
Williams, Alexander C., retired merchant.  
Worden, Barbary.  
Waffle, George, farmer.  
Waffle, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wright, Alfred, farmer.  
Williams, O. H., farmer.  
Wilder, Andrew, farmer.  
Wilder, Samuel, farmer.  
Waters, Stephen, farmer.  
Walworth, Lucius, farmer.  
White, Samuel, farmer.  
White, Thomas L., farmer.  
Wheeler, Edwin, farmer.  
Whitney, Fanny.  
Wood, Orpha.  
Worth, Martin, farmer.

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## OVID TOWNSHIP.

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OVID was settled in 1836 by Parley Stockwell at Ovid Center, Stewart Davis, Uriah Lockwood, and Samuel Spencer, are among the first settlers. In 1837 Samuel Treat, William Armstrong, and several others settled in the town. It is somewhat uneven or rolling, is heavily timbered, and is better adapted to grazing than wheat growing, though there are many farms from which are raised excellent crops of wheat. It contains one church, one tavern, and a blacksmith shop, three or four saw-mills. There is no post office in this township. The majority get their mail matter at Coldwater, the rest at Kinderhook. Ovid contains Coldwater Lake and a number of smaller ones. All are abundantly supplied with fish, and Coldwater Lake is a great resort for those who enjoy the sport of fishing and sailing. Population, 1239.

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Second-Hand Sewing Machines taken in part payment for a Grover & Baker. See advertisement.

Ovid is bounded on the north by Coldwater, east by Algansee, south by Kinderhook, and west by Bethel.

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TOWNSHIP OFFICERS :

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CLERK—STEPHEN FERGUSON.

TREASURER—THOMAS HIESRODT.

JUSTICES—BENJAMIN R. FERGUSON, DANIEL WILSON,  
CHARLES R. WHITEHEAD, LEVI WILSON.

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**A**

Allen, Marlin, blacksmith, post office Kinderhook.

Armstrong, William J., farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Anmer, George G., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Abbot, Milton, farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Arey, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Andrews, Benjamin C., farmer, post office Kinderhook.

**B**

Buck, Adelphus, farmer, post office Coldwater..

Bates, Olive A., housekeeping, post office Coldwater.

Bates, O. P., farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Barney, M., farming, post office Coldwater.

Burns, Francis, farmer, post office Kinderhook.

Betts, John, farming, post office Coldwater.

Batteson, Barney, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Byers, Dora, housekeeping, post office, Kinderhook.

Byers, John, farming, post office, Kinderhook.

Brown, A. W., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Britt, William C., ditcher, post office Coldwater.

Baldridge, Harry, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Baldridge, Niles, farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Ball, A., farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Bender, Charles, farming, post office, Coldwater.

Bender, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Bingham, Harvey, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Bingham, Thomas, clerk, post office Coldwater.

Bingham, Charles O., teacher, post office Coldwater.

Barringer, DeWitt, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Barber, H. E., farmer, post office Kinderhook  
Barber, C. H., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Buffington, Samuel, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Buffington, Ulysses, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Brownell, Collin, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Brobst, Daniel, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Bailey, Thomas, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Black, Henry, fisherman, post office Kinderhook.  
Bussing, Oliver, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bristol, William F., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bristol, J. W., Farming, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, L. D., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Francis, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Samuel N., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Burke, A., farmer, post office Coldwater.

## C

Cheney, Alfred, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Crull, S. D., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cogswell, John H., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Condon, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Conover, Wlliam N., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Coffman, L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, Warren, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corless, Levi, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cerrow, Lyman, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Collins, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Clark, J. N., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cole, W. R., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Coleman, Reuben, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Clapsaddle, John, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Case, William R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Crawford, Martha M., housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Crawford, Newton, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Chester, Nathaniel, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Clapsaddle, Daniel, retired, post office Coldwater.  
Clapsaddle, Daniel jr., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Clapsaddle, Franklin, farming, post office Coldwater.

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vertisement.

Coleman, B. N., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cole, J. B., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Conklin, S. A., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Corwin, George W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Corwin, Emily, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Corwin, Jerome, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cole, George W., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Chase, Aaron, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Cheney, Eli, farmer, post office Kinderhook.

**D**

Daniels, Lewellen, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Davis, Theodore, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Davis, Stewart, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Dubendorff, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Dunten, Washington, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Davis, Egbert, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Davis, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Daniels, Cynthia, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Daniels, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Debois, Harvey, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Debois, Victor, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Dickerson, Alonzo, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Dewey, Lewis, farming, post office Kinderhook.

**E**

Eaton, John, B., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Erb, D. B., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Echtinaw, E., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Endinger, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Echtinaw, Rebecca, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Echtinaw, Henry, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Echtinaw, Andrew, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Evans, John W., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Evans, James B., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Echtinaw, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**F**

Fallas, Matthew, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fowler, Mariah, housework.

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Examine both kinds **Grover & Baker Sewing Machines before purchasing.**

Ferguson, Myron, painter, post office Coldwater.  
Ferguson, Benjamin R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fulk, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ferguson, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Franklin, J. H., farming.  
Ferguson, Jeremiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ferguson, C. C., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Frederick, Edwin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fuller, A. M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Foster, Washington, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Fields, Thomas, R., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Fenner, Corydon, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**G**

George, H. B., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Greenamyer, Elihu, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Greenamyer, David, farmer, post office Coldwater:  
Green, L. D., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gragg, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gotchel, Charles, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Goble, J. C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Goble, Timothy, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Griffin, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gillet, D. N., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**H**

Howland, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Higgins, Michael, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
Hyzer, Lafayette, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Hower, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hower, Jefferson, invalid, post office Coldwater.  
Hanley, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Haines, Robert, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Harris, M. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Harris, R. R., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Hiersdt, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hower, Adam, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Henry, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hiburi, Allen, farming, post office Kinderhook.

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The new Grover & Baker Shuttle Machines Stitch Alike on Both Sides. See advertisement.

Hanford, Seth, retired, post office Kinderhook.  
Hawes, A. J., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Hiesrodt, Edwin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hiesrodt, Marcus, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Hackathorne, M. V., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Heater, J. S., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Haulterbam, Samuel, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Hecathorn, Henry, farmer, post office Kinderhook.

**J**

June, Charles, farmer, post office, Kinderhook.  
June, George, farming, post office Kinderhook.

**K**

Kimball, George, farming.  
Kelley, Ira, farmer.  
Kittridge, Osgood, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kerns, Levi, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kinsley, Martin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Keebler, J. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kenyon, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Kittridge, L. O., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**L**

Lockwood, Jerome, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lockwood, E. J., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lockwood, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Larabee, Erastus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Long, Robert, farmer, post office Coldwater..  
Lachey, William, farming, post office Coldwater..  
Lovewell, N., surveyor, post office, Coldwater.  
Lovewell, Charles H., teacher, post office Coldwater.  
Lyon, B. P., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Lake, D., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
LaFleur, A. J., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lockwood, S. S., blacksmith, post office Coldwater.  
Lockwood, Marion, carpenter, post office Coldwater.

**M**

Morgan, R. S., blacksmith, post office Coldwater.  
Moore, O. B., farming, post office Coldwater.

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Mills, Albert, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Mathews, Simon, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Mead, Nathan, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
 Maxon, Horace, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Mowry, William P., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Minzy, Harriet, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
 Miller, Byron, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Marsy, Benjamin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Mott, George W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Merrill, J. S., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Merrill, O. S., farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Mott, P. M., farmer.  
 Mott, William H., farmer.  
 McNitt, Matilda, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
 Maxon, Jesse L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Maxon, John C., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
 McSouth, Patience, housekeeping, post office Kinderhook.  
 McSouth, Wilber F., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Miller, T. L., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Miller, A. L., farming, post office, Kinderhook.  
 Morgan, R., carpenter, post office Coldwater.

**N**

Nye, James H., farmer, post office, Kinderhook.  
 Nichols, J. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Nichols, J. W., farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Norton, Benjamin, farmer, post office Kinderhook.

**O**

Olcott, Jeremiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Otis, Darius, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Outwater, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Olmsted, Alexander, farming, post office Coldwater.

**P**

Patch, Benjamin, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Parke, J. R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Proctor, William, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Paradine, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.

Paradine, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Peffer, William, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Patterson, George A., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
 Piatt, Leonard, painter, post office Kinderhook.  
 Peppet, George, farmer, post office, Kinderhook.  
 Pryor, Henry, farming, post office Kinderhook.

**Q**

Quimby, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Quimby, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Quimby, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Quimby, Wilsey, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**R**

Russell, Jesse, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Russell, Nelson, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Russell, S. J., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Russell, Washington, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Russell, Heman A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Robinson, Stephen, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
 REED, GEORGE W., FARMER, post office Coldwater.  
 Rose, William, H., laborer, post office Coldwater.  
 Roe, H. P., laborer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Rector, John, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
 Richmond, Henry, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Rappleye, William, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
 Rose, Lafayette, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Rose, Voltaire, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Rush, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Reynolds, Jennett, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
 Reppet, George, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
 Russell, L. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**S**

Sweet, Benjamin, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Smith, E. B., manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.  
 Shenefield, Jared, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
 Smith, J. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Smith, Hervey, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Sillick, Lary, farming, post office Kinderhook.

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Sisson Isaac, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Strobec, M. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Shay, M. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Strobeck, Addison, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Strobeck, Oliver, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Stout, Benjamin F., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Scheidler, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Scheidler, John, post office Coldwater.  
Sortie, J. M., works in saw-mill, post office Kinderhook.  
Sherman, L. C., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Schidler, D. W., farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Sorter, J. L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sorter, David, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Sorter, Delevan, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Sorter, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, William H., farmer post office Kinderhook.  
Strong, J. S., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Strong, Harriet, housekeeping, post office Kinderhook.  
Strong, John A., shoemaker, post office Kinderhook.  
Sherman, H. C., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Smith, E. L., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**T**

Tenner, Corydon, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Treat, Catherine W., housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Tucker, Clark, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Teachout, Alfred, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Treat, Samuel M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Treat, E. W., teacher, post office Coldwater.  
Treat, Samuel L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thompson, J. M., works in saw-mill, post office Kinderhook.  
Thornton Edmond, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thornton, Almon, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Thornton, Lafayette, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Tuckey, Francis, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Tuckey, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Tuckey, Gardner, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Thornton, Peter, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thornton, P. W., farming, post office Coldwater.

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All kinds Sewing Machines Repaired by A. G. Stevens. See advertisement.

Trauger, Samuel, carpenter, post office Kinderhook.  
Thornton, J. B., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Trump, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Trump, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thompson, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thompson, Albert, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Terhune, N. G., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Tempkins, A., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Tindall, G. W., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Thompkins, Umphrey, carpenter, post office Kinderhook.  
Thompkins, George, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Treat, Hosea G., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Trump, Jesse, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**V**

Vangelder, Orrin, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Vannuis, Simon, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Vannuis, J. H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Vannuis, H. S., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Vandewater, B., farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Vangilder, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Vangilder, Austin, in saw-mill, post office Coldwater.  
Vangilder, Thomas, farming, post office Coldwater.

**W**

Wilson, Joseph, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Weaver, John, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Walker, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Willis, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wright, Delos, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Whitehead, Charles R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Weatherhead, George, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Wright, Harlow, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, Levi, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wright, Spafford, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wright, W. E., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Waldron, Levi, lumber dealer, post office Coldwater.  
Waldron, Loren, lumber dealer, post office Coldwater.

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**Second-Hand Sewing Machines taken in part payment for a Grover & Baker. See advertisement.**

Wilson, Reuben, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, Daniel, physician, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, Eugene, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Wood, A. O., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wixon, Sylvester, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Wixon, Albert, farming, post office Kinderhook.  
Wilson, James R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, H. R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wheeler, Jared, physician, post office Kinderhook.  
Waterhouse, Lucius, farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Warren, Charles M., farmer, post office Kinderhook.  
Welch, E. C., farmer, post office Kinderhook.

**Z**

Zeluff, Merritt, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Zeller, Michael, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Zeluff, J. W., farmer, post office Coldwater.

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## KINDERHOOK TOWNSHIP.

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KINDERHOOK was settled in 1836, by John Waterhouse, O. B. Clark, George Tripp, and William L. Chase. Mr. Waterhouse located on the beautiful burr oak plain known as Waterhouse Corners. He is dead, but leaves respected children.

O. B. Clark now resides in the city of Coldwater.

There also settled in the southeast part of Kinderhook one Silas Doty, well known in the courts of this State and Indiana. He had an attachment for other people's valuables, and was a kind of pioneer colporteur, appointed by himself, for the purpose of distributing sundry articles. If a man had more than he really needed, "Sile" would take and give to his neighbors who had not enough, and so equalize things in the community. The lawyers called him a thief and treated him as such, but he was a kind hearted, accommodating neighbor, although his lawless acts would fill a volume in the history of this county.

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Sewing Machines to Rent by A. G. Stevens. See advertisement.

Kinderhook is an excellent wheat growing township. A part of "Coldwater Lake" lies in this township, and at Waterhouse Corners is a beautiful sheet of water called "Round Lake." There is at the Corners a post office, Baptist church, general store, blacksmith shop, and school house. Population 642.

Kinderhook is bounded north by Ovid, east by California, south by the State of Indiana, and west by Gilead.

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TOWNSHIP OFFICERS:

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CLERK—JAMES RICHEY.

TREASURER—ZELOTES O. OSBORN.

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ENOS MICHAEL,  
SOLOMON W. REYNOLDS,  
GEORGE TRIPP.

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**A**

Alexander, James P., farmer.

Alexander, Charles G., farmer.

Anderson, E., farmer.

Akenhead, A. E., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**B**

Bates, A. S., farmer.

Brown, I. J., farmer.

Brown, Charles, farmer.

Brown, William H., carpenter.

Burdick, B. L., farmer.

Babb, John, carpenter.

Bromley, David, farming.

Bromley, Stephen, farming.

Bachman, John S., carpenter.

Branyan, William R., farmer.

Boyd, John, blacksmith.

Boyd, James E., farming.

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Bonner, Alvin, farming.  
Bradley, John, farmer.  
Burk, John, farmer.  
Bromley, George, farming.  
Bromley, William G., farming.  
Bromley, Henry, farming.  
Brown, Jerry, farming.  
Burke, James, carpenter.

## C

Carr, R. J., farming.  
Carr, A. M., farming.  
Chase, William, farmer.  
Cornell, John, blacksmith.  
Conklin, B. F., farmer.  
Conklin, James D., farmer.  
Case, A. W., farmer.  
Clark, John, farming.  
Crandall, Amos, farming.  
Crandall, G. G., farming.  
Chase, John B., farmer.  
Clark, Wallace, farmer.  
Clark, Timothy, farmer.  
Case, William W., farmer.  
Carr, Francis, carpenter.

## D

Dingmon, Barney, farmer.  
Davis, John, stone mason.  
Dupue, J. F., farming.

## E

Ent, Silas, farmer.  
Etheridge, Abigail, housekeeping.

## F

Flint, Ira, farmer.  
Flint, Amos, farmer.  
Fox, David, farmer.

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Flynn, Dennis, farmer.  
Flynn, James, farming.  
Flynn, John, farming.  
Flint, Albert, farmer.  
Flint, Henry, farming.  
Flint, R. S., farmer.  
Flint, Salome, housekeeping.  
Ferguson, Eveline, housekeeping.

**G**

Godden, John, farming.  
Gould, Otis, farming.  
Greer, John, farmer.  
Gray, Charles W., farmer.  
Gray, Abram, farmer.  
Greer, James, farmer.  
Gripman, L H., carpenter.  
Gripman, Uriah, carpenter.  
Goodman, Samuel, farming.  
Gripman, H. D., farmer.

**H**

Hoyt, Henry, farmer.  
Hunt, William, farmer.  
Hoyt, Daniel, farmer.  
Hawks, J. S., farmer.  
Hugh, H. F., farmer.  
Hilton, Charles E., farming.  
Hanks, Nicholas, farmer.

**J**

Johns, Peter, farmer.  
Jones, N. H., farmer.  
Jones, Harley, farmer.  
Jones, Alva, farmer.  
Jones, Sylvester, farmer.

**K**

Knapp, Orson, shoemaker.

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The New Grover & Baker Shuttle Machines stitch alike on both sides. See Advertisement.

**L**

Lawrence, A. C., farmer.  
 Langworthy, J. B., farmer.  
 Lemon, Robert, farming.  
 Lobdel, George, carpenter.  
 Linn, Uriah, farmer.

**M**

Mundy, Jasper, farming.  
 Miller, John, farmer.  
 McKinster, N. J., farming.  
 McKinster, D. C., farming.  
 McKibbin, Boyd, farming.  
 Munger, M. C., farmer.  
 Mosher, Abraham, farmer.  
 Musselwhite, Walter, teacher.  
 Mott, Leroy, farming.  
 Miller, Joseph, farmer.  
 Mundy, E. C., farmer.  
 Mundy, David, farmer.  
 Melendy, D. W., blacksmith.  
 Michael, Enos, farmer.  
 Michael, P. J., farming.  
 Mosier, Edwin, farmer.  
 Mosier, James, retired.  
 Moses, C. H., farmer.  
 Mugg, Thomas, farming.  
 Miller, David, farmer.  
 Miller, Lester, farming.  
 McNall, Hiram, farmer.

**N**

Norton, A. S., farming.

**O**

Osborn, Zelotes, grocer.  
 Outwater, Peter, farmer.  
 Outwater, John, farmer,

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**P**

Purdy, Azem, farmer.  
Powelson, Powel, farmer.  
Powelson, Rinier, farmer.  
Powelson, Albert, farming.  
Phenicie, D. L., farmer.  
Preston, William, farming.  
Perine, Dana, farmer.  
Patterson, James, farming.

**Q**

Quint, Henry, farmer.

**R**

Richey, James, farmer.  
Richey, Isaac, farmer.  
Rhodes, J. G., farming.  
Rhodes, M. V., farming.  
Riggles, Levi, farmer.  
Reynolds, S. W., farmer.

**S**

Smith, E. B., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, W. C., farming.  
Stimson, H. K., clergyman.  
Stroh, George F., in saw mill.  
Sweetland, Jarvis, farmer.  
Stocking, Horace, farming.  
Stephens, Joshua, farmer.  
Stokes, John W., farmer.  
Scott, E. G., farmer.  
Smith, Alexander, carpenter.  
Shaw, L. T., farming.  
Shannon, Alexander, carpenter.  
Strong, M. W., farmer.

**T**

Tripp, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Tripp, Lester, farmer, post office Coldwater.

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Taylor, William R., lumber manufaeturer.  
Taylor, C. B., farmer.  
Tuers, Walter, farmer.  
Tuers, C., farming.  
Tuttle, Timothy, farmer.  
Taylor, A. B., clergyman.

**U**

Upp, Susannah, housekeeping.  
Upp, Martin, farmer.

**V**

Vanderhoof, David, farming.

**W**

Wedge, Daniel, farming.  
Wedge, W. E., farming.  
Welker, John, blacksmith.  
Waterhouse, John, farmer.  
Wetherwax, John, farming.  
Wetherwax, Henry, carpenter.  
Walters, Abram, farmer.  
Waller, Jesse, farming.  
Wilkinson, Horace, farming.  
Whisler, Christopher, farmer.  
Wilson, Perry, farmer.  
Whitcomb, Samuel N., farmer.  
Whitcomb, Samuel, farmer.  
Whisler, William, carpenter.

## GILEAD TOWNSHIP.

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GILEAD is bounded north by Bethel, east by Kinderhook, south by the State of Indiana, and west by Noble. Gilead was first settled in 1836 by Samuel Boot and Mr. Kessler, and in 1838 Emmerson Marsh, Elisha Williams, and Mr. Benney, came to this town. At this date there were but two horses in the township. Gilead is well watered by several small lakelets and a stream passing through the township, on which is a mill site. If not the first, at least the second agricultural town in the county. And as Bishop Chase remarked, "I shall call this place Gilead and here will I locate."

Near the center there is a section of sugar maples surrounded by a beautiful burr oak plains. It contains many fine farms among which is that of Hon. Cyrus G. Luce, who is well known to the inhabitants of the State by his judicious acts in its Legislative Halls. A. A. Luce, who has for the past three years ably filled the office of County Superintendent of Schools, resides in this township. At Gilead Center—Marsh's Corners—is a school house, post office, and church. East Gilead—Arnold's Corners—also contains a post office, this township being more highly favored in this respect than the most of its sister towns.

The productiveness of the soil can be ascertained by the character of the crops. There was from this town, on exhibition at the State Fair af 1870, corn stalks measuring seven feet up to the ears, and *seventeen* feet high, grown by Mr. Green, brother of the Hon. David M. Green, present Judge of Probate.

Gilead has a population of 798.

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### TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

SUPERVISOR—GEORGE I. LANGS.

CLERK—EDWARD PURDY.

TREASURER—EDWARD WEBB, JR.

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JUSTICES—SQUIRE G. BEERS,  
JOHN L. WATERHOUSE,  
ROBERT WARD.

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**A**

Adams, Chester, peddler.  
Arnold, Samuel, farmer.  
Abbey, Alanson, retired.

**B**

Beebe, A. R., farming.  
Bucknall, Robert, farming.  
Bixler, George O., farming.  
Brown, John M., farmer.  
Bunker, William, farmer.  
Beers, S. G., farmer.  
Bowers, Elijah, farmer.  
Bowers, James, farmer.  
Beebe, M. E., farming.  
Barley, William H., farming.  
Bodley, James, farming.  
Blass, William, farmer.  
Blass, Elmira, housekeeping.  
Blass, J. C., clerk.  
Booth, Samuel, farmer.  
Booth, J. A., farming.  
Beck, Jonathan, blacksmith.  
Brown, Hiram, farmer.  
Bixler, Henry, farmer.  
Bixler, Giles, farming.  
Brown, Smith, farmer.  
Brown, James H., farming.  
Bixler, Francis, farming.  
Brown, Benjamin F., carpenter.  
Brown, Ira, farmer.

**C**

Clay, Thomas, farmer.

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Second-Hand Sewing Machines taken in part payment for a Grover & Baker. See advertisement.

Campbell, John, farmer.  
Carpenter, W. B., farmer.  
Carpenter, T. J., farmer.  
Carpenter, Orrin, farmer.  
Carpenter, Charles V., farmer.  
Carpenter, Luke J., carpenter.  
Coon, John W., farming.  
Combes, C. E., retired.

**D**

Doerr, Jacob, farmer.  
Davis, Charles, farmer.  
Doerr, Jacob J., farmer.  
Dupue, Nelson, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.  
Deeds, Solomon, farmer.  
Deeds, Ephraim, farmer.  
Deeds, Solomon, Jr., farming.  
Davis, Enoch, farmer.  
Davis, L. W., carpenter.  
Dickinson, George, carpenter.

**E**

Elco, William, farmer.  
Elco, John, farmer.  
Evans, Robert, works on railroad.

**F**

Foglesong, James, farmer.  
Fuller, A. J., stone mason.  
Ferguson, James, farming.  
Foster, T. J., farmer.  
Fuller, Jared, farmer.  
Fish, John B., farming.  
Fellers, A. N., farmer.  
Fellers, Andrew, farmer.  
Furlong, P. J., farmer.  
Fenner, Turner, farmer.  
Foster, Elizabeth, housekeeping.

**G**

Graves, A. S., farmer.

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Sewing Machines to Rent by A. G. Stevens. See advertisement.

Gilbert, Emanuel, farming.  
 Green, A. R., farmer.  
 Graham, Lemuel, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.  
 Graham, Arthur, carpenter, post office Orland, Ind.  
 Green, E. C. S., farmer.  
 Green, Silvina, housekeeping.

**H**

Huston, Catharine, housekeeping.  
 Hewett, N. B., physician.  
 Hathaway, S. D., carpenter.  
 Hathaway, Jeremiah, farmer.  
 Hughs, Jacob, farmer.  
 Hart, H. C., farming.  
 Hadley, Frank E., farming.  
 Harris, William, farmer.  
 Hoopingarner, David, farmer.  
 Hanselman, Daniel, carpenter.  
 Harley, Jacob, farmer.  
 Haines, Samuel, farming.  
 Headley, A., farmer.  
 Hewett, Marcus, farming.  
 Hathaway, Edward, farmer.

**I**

Inman, George, farmer.  
 Inman, David, farming.  
 Inman, Charles, farming.  
 Inman, Samuel, farmer.  
 Inmell, John, farming.  
 Inmell, Daniel, harness maker.

**J**

Junk, John, farmer.  
 Jones, Mary, housekeeping.  
 Jones, H. R., farming.

**K**

Knight, Jonathan, shoemaker.  
 Knight, Madison, farming.

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Karn, Daniel, carpenter.  
Keisler, William, farmer.  
Keisler, Peter, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.  
Keisler, Joseph, farmer.

**L**

Lang, G. J., farmer.  
Luce, Cyrus G., farmer.  
Luce, A. A., county superintendent of schools.  
Lyndersmith, Peter, farming.  
Lareom, Ezra, farmer.  
Larcom, A. J., carpenter.  
Lazenby, Thomas, farmer.  
Lads, George D., farmer.  
Little, George, farming.  
Little, William, farmer.  
Long, Philip, farmer.

**M**

Meke, Adam, patent right dealer.  
Mott, Milo H., farmer.  
McNett, George S., farmer.  
Meek, Joseph, farming.  
Meek, David E., farmer.  
Meek, David, farmer.  
Meek, William, Jr., farming.  
Meek, William, Sr., farmer.  
**Meek, William A., laborer in saw mill.**  
Martin, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mather, Nancy, house keeping.  
Mather, F. C., farming.  
Misner, John, farming, post office Orland, Ind.  
Marsh, Daniel, farmer.  
Marsh, Lester, farming.  
Marquette, P. H., farmer.  
McKinley, John, farmer.  
Miner, William, farming.  
Miller, George, farming.  
McKinley, John, farmer.

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Martin, Philip, farmer.

**N**

Norton, Patience, housekeeping.

Nash, N. B., farming.

Nash, Mortimer, painter.

Now, Francis, carpenter.

**O**

Outwater, John, farming.

Orlin, Dean, farmer.

Orlin, Charles, farming.

**P**

Preston, J. R., clergyman.

Pothoof, Augustus, farming.

Pothoof, Frederick, farmer.

Peavey, James, farmer.

Philips, Reed, farmer.

Purdy, Edward, farmer.

Purdy, William, farmer.

Purdy, Wheeler, farming.

**R**

Russell, Alonzo, shoemaker.

Rote, J. N., clergyman.

Rubley, David, farmer.

Rupright, S. S., farmer.

Ransom, James, farming.

Rice, Dewey, farming.

Ruff, Samuel, farmer.

**S**

Shack, John, farming.

Shannon, John H., farming.

Shepard, Simeon, cooper.

Smith, John, farmer.

Smith, John, Sr., retired.

Snyder, Josiah, farmer.

Swain, S. P., farmer.

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Sides. See advertisement.

Sayles, Warren, farmer.  
Sanders, Josiah, farmer.  
Selby, George, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.  
Sharp, Daniel, farmer.  
Specer, Theodore, farming.  
Spring, Theron, farmer.  
Spring, Emerson, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Spring, Daniel, farmer.  
Smith, Job A., farmer.  
Smith, George W., farming.  
Sweeting, Judson, farmer.

**T**

Taylor, Horatio, peddler.  
Teft, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thomas, Rockwell, farmer.  
Thompson, Darwin, farmer.

**V**

Vandevanter, Charles, farmer.  
Vandevanter, Peter, farmer.  
Vandevanter, Robert, farming.  
Vandevanter, W. J., farming.

**W**

Watkins, John H., farmer.  
Walter, Clifton, farmer.  
Wilkins, Benjamin S., farmer.  
Waterhouse, John L., farmer.  
Weaver, Allen, farmer.  
Whitcomb, George C., farmer.  
Wightnight, Mary, housekeeping.  
Wilder, Charles H., farmer.  
Williams, E. M., farmer.  
Wheeler, Miles, farmer.  
Williams, Elisha, farmer.  
Williams, John, farming.  
Webb, Edward, Jr., farmer.  
Webb, Franklin, farming.

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Webb, Edward, Sr., blacksmith.  
Webb, Helen A., housekeeping.  
Williams, Warren, farmer.  
Williams, David, farming.  
Waterhouse, Patience, housekeeping.  
Warner, Peter, farmer.  
Warner, Henry, farmer.

**Z**

Zull, George, farmer.  
Zull, A. J., farmer.  
Zanburgg, Samuel.

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## BETHEL TOWNSHIP.

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BETHEL is bounded north by Batavia, east by Ovid, south by Gilead, and west by Bronson.

It was settled in 1836-7, by the Bateses, Cards, Lanpheres and Wises, numbering several families, all related by blood or marriage. These constituted quite a colony. They early received the name of "South America" for their settlement, and retain it still. As a community they have observed the first command of God to man, and literally fulfilled it: Genesis, 1st chapter, first clause of 28th verse.

West of the center of the town is a burr oak plain, known as Snow Prairie, which is a beautiful plat of ground, of many splendid farms. A fine school house and the Town House are located there. William T. Amerman, Supervisor of Bethel, has a good farm, well cultivated. On this farm are several large chestnut trees—a tree rarely seen in this section.

The surface of Bethel is rolling, and about equally divided into timbered land and openings. In the north and west parts of the town are the farms of Maylon and Lyman Smeade, on a plat of level country once covered with hickory, beech and walnut timber, one of the richest localities within the limits of the county.

Bethel has a population of 1,518.

## TOWNSHIP OFFICERS:

SUPERVISOR—NATHANIEL PIATT.  
CLERK—JAMES GALLOP.  
TREASURER—GEORGE W. JOLES.  
JUSTICES—JOHN Q. ADAMS,  
SILAS N. CARD,  
NEWMAN CANFIELD,  
CHARLES M. STRONG.

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**A**

Allen, Caroline, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Asman, Francis, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Allen, George H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Allen, Gabriel, farming, post office Bronson.  
Aldrich, M. H., farming, post office Bronson.  
Abbott, S. T. J., carpenter.  
Allen, Alonzo, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Ammerman, William T., farmer, post office Bethel.  
Austin, Charles H., post office Bronson.  
Adams, George O., farming, post office Bethel.  
Alexander, H. P., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Avery, H. B., blacksmith, post office Bronson.  
Allen, C. W., farming.  
Adams, John Q., carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Alfred, Eli, farming.

**B**

Burch, Benona, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Burch, Billings, farming, post office Bronson.  
Burch, Zebulon, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Burch, Wesley, farming.  
Buck, P. A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Burch, George, farming.  
Brower, P. H., farmer.  
Brower, William, farmer.  
Bennet, Nathaniel, farmer.

- Bowen, Mary A., housekeeping.  
Barnes, A. W., farmer.  
Bingham, Elisha, farmer.  
Bronson, William, farmer.  
Bronson, Henry, farmer.  
Baldwin, Eli, carpenter.  
Booth, Daniel, farmer.  
Brockelbonk, Samuel, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Brockelbonk, George J., farming, post office Bronson.  
Brockelbonk, George, farming, post office Bronson.  
Bowker, Francis, farming, post office Bronson.  
Barnard, Hiram, farming.  
Beard, Squire, manufacturer of lumber, post office Bronson.  
Burleson, Allen, grocer, post office Bronson.  
Bates, B. N., works in mill, post office Bronson.  
Beard, Horace, manufacturer of lumber, post office Bronson.  
Bush, Henry, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Butcher, Henry, farming, post office Bronson.  
Butcher, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Butcher, Isaac, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Arwin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, C. J., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, P. C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Manderville, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Edgar, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Buffam, William A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Buffam, M. V., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Burleson, A., manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.  
Barnes, Edward, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Barnes, Charles, farming, post office Bronson.  
Baggerly, G. D., farming.  
Bradway, William, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Bradway, Charles, farming, post office Bronson.  
Barnes, Gilford, farmer.  
Barridge, Calvin, farmer.  
Brooks, Frederick, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Baker, Elizabeth, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Brightman, Martin, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Bunnel, Hezekiah, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Buffham, Asa, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Brooks, Charles, farmer, post office Bronson.

Brooks, George, farming, post office Bronson.  
Brooks, Stephen, farming, post office Bronson.  
Ballard, Aram, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Beard, Avery, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Bennie, James, farmer.  
Bender, Daniel, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Badger, J. B., farming.  
Bates, S. H., farmer, post office Bronson.

## C

Cranson, P. A., farmer.  
Cranson, Willard, retired.  
Cranson, Asa, farmer.  
Card, Williard, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Card, H. J., farmer.  
Cure, L. W., farmer.  
Carpenter, Caleb, farmer.  
Carpenter, Albert, farmer.  
Carter, William N., farmer.  
Cline, James M., farmer.  
Cure, O. D., farming.  
Card, S. N., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Card, Daniel C., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Card, Nelson, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cole, Lysander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cheney, Reuben, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Chamberlain, William, carpenter.  
Carmer, Peleg, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Carmer, L. A., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Carmer, Isaac, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cartner, Wallace, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Card, Richard, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Cleveland, A. A., farmer.  
Carter, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Carter, C. H., farmer.  
Cummings, David, farming.  
Clark, George W., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Casgrove, Robert, farming, post office Bronson.  
Canfield, C. N., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Canfield, Numana, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Cornell, Fitch, farming, post office Bronson.

Cook, David, farmer, post office Bronson.

**D**

Dubendorf, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Dubendorf, J. C., manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.

Dubendorf, P. M., manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.

Dart, Alanson, wagon maker, post office Bronson.

Dart, George W., farming, post office Bronson.

Dart, Francis, brakeman on railroad.

Dart, O. P., carpenter, post office Bronson.

Dillon, C. R., farmer, post office Bronson.

Durbon, Mary A., housekeeping, post office Bronson.

Demarest, George, farming.

Demarest, John, carpenter.

**E**

Earl, John, farmer.

Eaton, F. H., farming, post office Coldwater.

Eddridge, Joseph, farmer.

Estep, Allen, farming, post office Bronson.

Evans, William S., farmer, post office Bronson.

**F**

Fox, Seymour, blacksmith, post office Bronson.

Freeman, Samuel, carpenter, post office Bronson.

Fowler, N. J., farmer.

Freeman, Cornelius, farmer.

Ferguson, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Fox, David, farmer, post office Bronson.

Fisk, E. P., farming.

Fisk, Washington, farming.

Fulgar, Daniel, farming, post office Coldwater.

Fox, A. J., works in saw mill.

Frick, Henry, carpenter.

Ferguson, Daniel, farmer.

Flemming, Gilbert, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Fenner, Collins, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Freeman, Homer, farming, post office Bronson.

Freeman, John, farmer, post office Bronson.

Foster, Philip, tailor.

Fuller, T. A., farmer, post office Bronson.

Fuller, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Fuller, Thomas, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Flowers, E. E., farming, post office Bronson.

**G**

Gage, T. M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Griffin, C. E., stone mason.  
Gallop, James, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Gray, William, farmer.  
Gray, John W., farming.  
Gallop, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gallop, Leroy, farming, post office Coldwater,  
Gifford, L. P., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Gifford, Hiram, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Gibbons, Andrew, carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Grinnell, Thomas, clergyman, post office Bronson.  
Gordon, John M., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Gardiner, Jacob, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Gardiner, Abram, farmer.  
Gifford, Ezra, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**H**

Harris, F. S., farmer.  
Hillyer, R. B., farmer.  
Hillyer, Daniel, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hand, Henry H., farmer.  
Horton, G. M., farmer.  
Hart, Williard, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hart, William, H., farming, post office Bronson.  
Hoffaker, Michael, manufacturer of lumber, post office Bronson.  
Hastings, Nathan, farmer.  
Hastings, E. B., farming.  
Harkness, Betsey, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Harris, G. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Harris, Anna, housekeeping.  
Horn, Thomas, carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Hart, George H., farmer.  
Harris, H. H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Holcomb, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Haskins, R. N., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hause, George, farming, post office Bronson.

Hart, J. L., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Holliday, Porter, carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Honeywell, E. W., farming, post office Bronson.  
Harris, L. W., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hurd, L. C., farmer.

**J**

Joles, George W., farming, post office Bronson.  
Joles, M. P., farming.  
Jump, James R., basket maker.  
Jones, Edward, farmer.  
Jordon, Charles, works in saw mill.  
Joles, George W., Jr., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Johnson, Morgan, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Johnson, L. L., farming, post office Bronson.  
Jump, Leander, basket maker.

**K**

Kanouse, John, farmer.  
Kanouse, Abram, farmer.  
Kaiser, J. S., farmer.  
Kanouse, William, farmer.  
Keys, Levorette, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Kennedy, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Kyes, C. C., farmer.  
Kellog, Charles, farming.  
Kennedy, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Kennedy, Mary, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Kennedy, James, farming, post office Bronson.  
Ketcham, C. W., cooper.

**L**

Lampman, Luman, farmer.  
Lease, Willard, farming.  
Larabee, Austin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Larabee, Roswell, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lemon, J. E., farming.  
Larabee, H. B., teamster, post office Coldwater.  
Lockwood, Isaac, farming.  
Larabee, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lease, G. W., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Lockwood, Benjamin, farming, post office Bronson.

Lemmon, E. O., carpenter.  
Larabee, Daniel, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Layman, William H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Layman, Peter, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**M**

Maybee, John, farming.  
Milborn, John, farmer.  
Misener, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Misener, John M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Misener, J. R., photographer.  
Misener, W. W., farmer.  
Miner, E. A., carpenter.  
Martin, R. T., clergyman.  
Misener, Jacob, farming.  
Martin, James W., clergyman.  
Misener, Samuel, farming.  
Mecendarfier, George, farmer.  
Musselman, David, farmer.  
Misener, D. F., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
McCarty, Stephen, farming.  
McCarty, Stephen, Jr., farming.  
Moore, Sherrod, farmer.  
McDonald, Austin, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Martin, J. R., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Monroe, Charles F., farmer.  
Monroe, Milo, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Monroe, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Mumbrue, Lester, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Mills, James S., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Miller, P. P., farmer, post office Bronson.  
McClure, Wilson, farmer, post office Bronson.  
McClure, Albert, farming, post office Bronson.  
McClellan, James, farming, post office Bronson.  
McClellan, John, farming, post office Bronson.  
Martin, I. R., farmer, post office Bronson.  
McMillan, Ebenezer, farmer, post office Bronson.  
McMillan, Stephen, farmer, post office Bronson.

**N**

Nagle, Peter, tailor.  
Norton, Ansel, farmer, post office Bronson.

Nash, William H., farmer.  
Norton, A. A., blacksmith.  
Nash, John V., farmer, post office Bronson.

## O

Osborn, Harmon, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Odren, Edward, farmer.  
Olmstead, H. H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Philo, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Washington, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, M. M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Oringer, James, farming, post office Bronson.  
Olorenshaw, Joseph, farming.  
Osborn, Fenner, shingle maker, post office Bronson.  
Olmstead, William H., farming.  
Osburn, Benjamin, farmer, post office Bronson.

## P

Patch, Girdon, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Pond, Benjamin, farmer.  
Pond, Cortes, farming.  
Plumley, A. W., tinner.  
Plumley, A. E., farming.  
Fratt, Nathaniel, farmer.  
Porter, L. D., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Powers, Patrick, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Patch, William H., farmer.  
Prichard, William, farming, post office Bronson.  
Paine, Moses, farmer.  
Paine, E. J., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Palmater, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Palmater, Franklin, farming, post office Bronson.  
Pervee, Walter, farming, post office Bronson.  
Prestage, D. J., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Price, Peter, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Price, James, post office Bronson.  
Palmatier, Silvanus, invalid, post office Bronson.  
Philips, H. B., farming.  
Post, Ezra, farming, post office Bronson.  
Post, Eli, farming.

Patch, Freeman, farming, post office Coldwater.

**R**

Rupright, Isaac, farmer.

Russell, Thomas, farmer.

Raymond, Albert, blacksmith, post office Bronson.

Reid, Benjamin, farmer.

Rawson, S. N., farmer, post office Bronson.

Reynolds, Hannah, housekeeping, post office Bronson.

Reynolds, Henry, farming, post office Bronson.

Rossell, Louise, housekeeping.

Richardson, Elias, farmer, post office Bronson.

Richardson, Ira L., farmer.

Roe, David, farmer, post office Bronson.

Reynolds, Orson, physician, post office Bronson.

**S**

Strong, C. M., carpenter.

Sherman, A. H.; manufacturer of lumber.

Spafford, Cyrus, works in saw mill.

Stowell, Lucy, housekeeping.

Sherman, William B., farmer.

Salisbury, Richard, farmer.

Salisbury, David, farming.

Swift, Hugh, weaver.

Smith, Eunice, housekeeping, post office Bronson.

Swan, H. A., farmer, post office Bronson.

Sisson, Jane H., housekeeping, post office Bronson.

Sheldon, K. R., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Showers, John, farming, post office Coldwater.

Showers, Franklin, farming, post office Coldwater.

Showers, D. E., farming, post office Coldwater.

Stone, J. H., farming, post office Bronson.

Stone, Elmer, farming, post office Bronson.

Stone, Salvanus, farming, post office Bronson.

Smead, M. L., farmer.

Smead, P. H., farmer.

Smead, Lyman, farmer.

Smith, H. H., farmer.

Stone, J. G., farmer, post office Bronson.

Short, William, farmer, post office Bronson.

Short, B. W., farming, post office Bronson.  
Short, A. T., farming, post office Bronson.  
Selby, Monroe, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Sweet, S. J., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Sanford, James, farming.  
Sackett, Rockwell, farming, post office Bronson.  
Smith, Philo D., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Smith, Luther, farming.  
Stephenson, Robert, farming.  
Simpson, William J., farming.  
Stephenson, James, farming.  
Sweet, Benjamin, farming, post office Bronson.  
Sweet, Nottrup, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Sayles, A. B., carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Sherman, V., farmer.  
Sherman, Amos, farmer.  
Sibley, William H., farmer.

**T**

Tuttle, Albert, farmer.  
Teachout, Stephen, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Thompson, Melvin.  
Townsend, A. E., farmer.  
Tucker, Henry, carpenter.  
Tucker, Rockwell, farming.  
Timm, John, farming.  
Tozier, E. G., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Thurber, W. G., carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Teller, T. M., farming, post office Bronson.  
Tillottson, John, works in saw mill, post office Bronson.  
Truesdail, W. W., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Tucker, Madison, carpenter.  
Thomas, Jesse, farmer.

**V**

Vanslyke, M. T., farmer.  
Voorus, Mary, housekeeping.  
Vangilder, Winand, farmer.  
Venetta, Elizabeth, housekeeping.  
Vanhorn, Stephen, farming, post office Bronson.  
Vanalstine, Nicholas, farmer, post office Bronson.

Valyer, William J., stone mason, post office Bronson.  
Vincent, I. S., farmer, post office Bronson.

**W**

Williams, Lucius, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Wright, Peter, farming, post office Bronson.  
Walker, John W., stone mason, post office Bronson.  
Wood, Dyer, farmer.  
Weser, Hiram, farming.  
Weser, Levi S., farmer.  
Wells, John B., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wells, John B., Jr., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Wonser, Elanson, cooper, post office Coldwater.  
Wiser, John, farmer.  
Whiten, Henry, farmer.  
Witter, George H., farmer.  
Weaver, Daniel, farmer.  
Woodruff, A. O., farmer.  
Wallace, Simon, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Wallace, Charles E., farming, post office Bronson.  
Wallace, James H., farming, post office Bronson.  
Wheeler, E. G., wagon maker.  
Wheeler, E. C., blacksmith.  
Wheeler, William B., farming.  
Walker, Josiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wessel, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
White, George M., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Wessel, William, blacksmith, post office Coldwater.  
Webb, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wilson, Thomas, painter.  
Whitford, Juliaetta, housekeeping.  
Welman, Alonzo, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Webb, George W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wiser, A. H., farmer.  
Walker, Orange, farmer.

**Y**

Yates, Smith, farming;  
Yates, George W., farming.

**Z**

Zuver, Andrew, clergyman.

## BATAVIA TOWNSHIP.

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BATAVIA is bounded north by Union, east by Coldwater, south by Bethel, and west by Matteson. Batavia was first settled in 1834 by Arthur Stoddard on section 13. In 1835 and '36, Leonard Taylor, known as Col. Taylor, of the Michigan Militia, settled in the Township. He kept the Batavia House, and in 1837 the county officers were, on a time, assembled at his house for a jubilee, when a traveler who had put up for the night, as was supposed, called for his bill and his horse. The landlord not knowing the cause of his unceremonious departure, asked the reason. "Why," said he, "I'm *afraid* to stay here; I'll go on to Bronson." Taylor then informed him that his uproarious guests were the most respectable men in the county, namely, the *county officers*. To which the traveler replied: "My God! what must the rest be; *get my horse*." In 1835-'36, Batavia was rapidly settled by an enterprising class of men, namely: Martin P. Olds, afterwards Judge Olds, the Woodards, Smeads, Samuel Cary, the Ensleys, Parkers, Morgan L. Tyler, Daniel Sprague, and others. Batavia Center contains a stave-factory, saw-mill, a public house, a fine commodious brick school building and several residences. The post office is at the public house on the Chicago road seven miles southwest of Coldwater. Batavia contains a cheese factory, owned by M. B. Barnhart and Mr. Johnson. In 1870 they manufactured 6000 lbs. of fine cheese, although they did not commence operations until June. It is situated in one of the best grazing localities in the county, and conducted by energetic proprietors. Batavia contains many splended farms, among which are the farms of Mr. Burroughs, Philo Porter (once sheriff of the county) and Wilson J. Cooley. Mr. Cooley raised on his farm the past year 615 bushels of potatoes per acre. He has practically illustrated the fact that farming pays.

Where fields unfold their pictured sight,  
And meads and cornfields mix their gay attire,  
Sheep cots and herds and cottage white—  
That travelers and all admire.

Batavia has a population of 1318.

## TOWNSHIP OFFICERS:

SUPERVISOR—JAMES CAMPBELL.

CLERK—ASA BUFFAM.

TREASURER—GEORGE MILLER.

JUSTICES—LEONARD ADAMS, DANIEL MILLER,  
AUSTIN NOYES, D. J. SPRAGUE.

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**A**

Achee, Inwell, farmer, post office Bronson.

Andrews, Merenus farmer, post office Coldwater.

Andrews, Allen C., farming, post office, Coldwater.

Atwood, Elisha, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Austin, Loren R., salesman, post office, Coldwater.

Austin, Charles H., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Austin Reuben, farming, post office Coldwater.

Adams, Leonard, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Atchinson, Fuller, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**B**

Brink, Hiram, farmer.

Buel, Benjamin, farmer, post office Bronson.

Baily, Samuel, works in saw-mill, post office Bronson.

Brown, Nathaniel, manufacturer of lumber.

Buckingham, Hannah, housekeeping.

Bonney, M. D., farmer, post office Bronson.

Bennett, Francis, farmer, post office Bronson.

Bennett, Charles, farming, post office Bronson.

Billings, H. T., farmer, post office Bronson.

Bouton, E. F., farmer.

Beagle, Mary, housekeeping, post office Oldwater.

Baker, Jeremiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Brewer, William H., farming.

Bassett, John, farmer.

Buffham, H. F., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Buffham, A. J., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Barnes, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Bassett, Adams, farmer, post office Bronson.

Bates, N. F., farmer.

Burch, Alveron, farmer.  
Burch, Austin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Barnard, George, blacksmith.  
Brower, Aaron, farming.  
Briggs, William N., farmer.  
Bowler, Charles W., farmer.  
Bailey, Alonzo, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Burritt, Aaron, farmer and mason, post office Coldwater.  
Bailey, S. D., farming,  
Bailey, Sylvanus, farming.  
Bowers, Libbeus, farmer.  
Bascom, Henry.  
Bunker, Luther L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bates, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Burch, Admiral, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Barnard, Joshua, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Brunt, Henry, farming.  
Brown, Amelia C., housekeeping.  
Brown, Mahlon W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Brown, Coleman, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bowers, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bradford, William H., carpenter.  
Bellinger, A. J., stone mason, post office Coldwater.  
Booth, Zera, farming.  
Brown, James R., retired.  
Burrows, Calvin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Bordine, Abram, post office Coldwater.  
Bordine, Milton, book-keeper, post office Coldwater.  
Bair, Ezra, farming, post office Coldwater.

**C**

Card, William S., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Chamberlain, A. A., shoemaker.  
Cady, Thomas, farmer.  
Chapman, H. R., farming, post office Bronson.  
Clum, Edward, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Cleveland, Joseph, farmer.  
Card, William R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Campbell, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Culver, Lemon L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Case, Sarah, housekeeping.

Case, William, farming.  
 Cuyler, Abram, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Crapo, Palaski, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Crowner, Hiram, farming.  
 Covey, Orrison, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Covey, I. P., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Crawford, Edward, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Crawford, Wilbur R., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Crawford, Frank, farming, post office Coldwater  
 Castle, M. B., farming.  
 Carr, George W., farmer.  
 Coggin, Charles V., farming, post office Coldwater

**D**

Dow, Smith, farmer.  
 Dow, Byron W., farming.  
 Du Foe, John, manufacturer of shingles.  
 Dolittle, Heman, farmer.  
 Drum, John H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Dunham, Manly, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Dingman, Emily, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
 Drum, Morris, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Dufoe, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Daniels, M. F., farming, post office, Coldwater.  
 Dayharsh, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Dovey, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Daniels, Amasa, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Daniels, Levoret, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**E**

Everett, Samuel, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
 Ensley, Lydia, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
 Ensley, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Ensley, James, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Ensley, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**F**

Foster, James D., farmer.  
 Fields, Sidney, carpenter.  
 Ferguson, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Fonda, David, C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Fonda, David C., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Fonda, William H., post office Coldwater.

Fairbanks, Charles W., farmer, post office Coldwater.

## G

Gravec, E. L., farmer.

Graves, Leroy, farming.

Giddings, Frederick, carpenter, post office Coldwater.

Green, John, carpenter.

Green, Lodowick, farming.

Gates, Edward, farmer.

Gates, Stephen, retired, post office Coldwater.

Gifford, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Gifford, Ira, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Gifford, Edward, farming, post office Coldwater.

Grove, Jane, housekeeping.

Grove, Elijah, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Grove, Samuel, farmer, post office, Coldwater.

Godfrey, A., cooper, post office Coldwater.

Gray, John M., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Grove, A. R., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Gillen, Isaac, farming, post office, Coldwater.

Gruner, Joseph, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Graf, Gustave, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Graf, Willibald, farming, post office Coldwater.

## H

Hammond, Nelson, works in mill, post office Coldwater.

Harris, J. R., farming.

Hurley, Nancy, housekeeping.

Hayne, Samuel, farmer.

Hayne, Theodore, farming.

Heddington, Marion, farming, post office Coldwater.

Hurley, Charles, farming, post office Coldwater.

Hurley, William, farmer.

Hibbard, George, farming.

Hibbard, Elmer C., farming.

Herriff, Julius, farming, post office Coldwater.

Hoyt, Edward, farming.

Hubbard, Horatio N., farmer.

Hubbard, Sylvester, farmer.

Hutchins, Abram, farming.

Holcomb, Catherine, housekeeping, post office, Coldwater.

Hanks, Archibald, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hanks, A. S., no occupation, post office Coldwater.  
Holdridge, Ira, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hurley, William J., brick mason, post office Coldwater.  
Hawley, Bruce G., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Hawley, Lewis, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Hawley, Hiram B., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Halleck, H. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Holmes, Charles O., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Higgins, James, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Hill, H. S. farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Hill, Thomas, retired, post office, Coldwater.  
Hiscock, Melvin, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**I**

Imber, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ide, David A., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ide, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**J**

Jones, Henry, farmer.  
Jones, Charles N., farming.  
Johnson, Samuel W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Johnson, John J., farmer, post office Coldwater.

**K**

Kinton, Charles, no occupation.  
Kinton, George, farming, post office Bronson.  
Knowles, Alexander, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Knowles, Andrew, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Knight Mary, housekeeping.  
Klose, Frederick, tavern-keeper, post office Coldwater.  
Kimball, Benjamin, farmer.  
Kimball, H. L., farming.  
Kinnebrook, Samuel, farmer, post office Coldwater.

**L**

Locke, Charles, farming.  
Limbocker, L. G., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Limbocker, A. D., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Limbocker, A. H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Locke, James, farming.  
Linendol, George, jr., farmer.

Linendol, George, sen., retired,  
Lovell, Joseph, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lippencott, Charles C., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lake, James, farming.  
Leroy, James, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Lucus, John W., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Locke, Amos, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Lapham, Alvah, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lapham, Thomas, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Lapham, David, farming, post office Coldwater.

**M**

Maxon, Martin W., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, Augustus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, Irving.  
Moore, Frederick S., farming, post office, Coldwater.  
Millér, Alanson, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, Henry S., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, George, farming, post office Coldwater.  
McFarlin, Thomas, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Moore, Hiram C., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Moon, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Moon, John W., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Martin, Robert, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Moore, Nelson, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Moore, R. C., farming.  
Murphy, James, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mongar, Eugene, farming.  
Martin Jesse C., farmer.  
Milborn, David S., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Manguse, Peter, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Martin, Ira, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Martin, Mary A., housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Miller, Daniel, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Miller, Mahlon, farming, post office, Coldwater.  
McCollum, Robert, farming, post office Coldwater.  
McCollum, William J., salesman.  
Mitchell, Alice, housekeeping.

**N**

Noyes, G. P., farmer, post office Coldwater

Noyes, Austin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Noyes, Charles B., brick mason, post office Coldwater.  
Nelson, Norman, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Nelson, D. H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Nearpass, Samuel, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Nivison, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Nivison, William E., post office Coldwater.

## O

Olmstead, M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Alonzo, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olmstead, Benjamin, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
O'Marra, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Olds, M. P., farmer, post office Coldwater.

## P

Paine, Thomas T., farmer.  
Palmer, Charles, farming.  
Palmater, Owen, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Parker, Samuel D., farmer.  
Porter, Philo, farmer.  
Porter, Cass W., farming.  
Perrin, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Perrin, Theoron, farming.  
Pierce, L. E., farming.  
Pitcher, David, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Pitcher, Lewis, telegraph operator, post office Coldwater.  
Pitcher, Philip, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Pitcher, John, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Pitcher, Peter, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Peterson, Charles, farming.  
Pierce, Charles B., farming.  
Prout, Avery S., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Peck, Nelson, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Page, Reyley, farming, post office Coldwater.

## R

Ross, Robert H., clergyman.  
Rolph, Benjamin F., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Reynolds, Malvina, housekeeping.  
Reynolds, Emery, carpenter.

Reynolds, John, farmer.  
Reynolds, Alpheus, carpenter, post office Bronson.  
Roberts, M. D., farmer.  
Raymond, Gilbert, farming.  
Ransom, William, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Rice, John F., farming.  
Roberts, J. E., carpenter.  
Reynolds, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Reynolds, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ruthruff, Uriah, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Robinson, William G., farming.  
Robinson, James, brick mason, post office Coldwater.  
Robinson, Alonzo, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Rolph, Stephen, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rolph, Joseph, stone mason, post office Coldwater.  
Rickard, James, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Robinson, William, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Rhodes, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rhodes, William, shoemaker, post office Coldwater.  
Russell, Asa, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Reid, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Rogers, John P., works in flour mill.  
Rifenburg, Orrin, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Raymond, V. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Raymond, Joseph, retired, post office Coldwater.  
Randall, Alonzo, farmer, post office Coldwater.

## S

Skinner, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Stokes, William, lightning rod agent, post office Coldwater.  
Simmons, Hiram, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Swain, John H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Saunders, Homer, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, Evi, farmer.  
Smith, Betsey, housekeeping.  
Shaw, George, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Saunders, Nelson H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sprague, P. H., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Stevens, Ransom, cooper.  
Stevens, John, farming.  
Stevens, Alanson, farming.

Scott, Wallace, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, Edward, farming.  
Shinneman, Jacob, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Shinneman, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Shinneman, Jackson, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Shinneman, Joseph W., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Swarbrick, Jane, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Swarbrick, Joseph, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Shurtz, Tobias, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shurtz, Abram, farming, post office Bronson.  
Searing, Henry, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sprague, D. J., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Scribner, John, H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Scribner, Francis, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Sackett, James R., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Smith, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Smith, Washington, farming, post office Bronson.  
Sisson, John, farmer.  
Shinneman, John H., farmer.  
Strang, Charles E., farmer.  
Stone, W. F., farming.  
Smead, Daniel, farmer.  
Stone, Moses F., farming.  
Shoecraft, Charles H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Surrarer, Leonard, farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Sixbury, Alanson, laborer.  
Sixbury, David, laborer.  
Sixbury, Truman, laborer.  
Sprague, Daniel, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sprague, A. H., farmer, post office, Coldwater.  
Sprague, Algernon, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Sprague, Peter, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, Samuel R., farming.  
Swain, Albert, farming.  
Saurman, Ashbel, stone mason, post office Coldwater.  
Smith, Timothy H., farming, post office Coldwater.

**T**

Taylor, L., jr., farmer.  
Taylor, L., sen., farmer.  
Teachout, E. T., farming, post office Coldwater.

Taylor, James, farmer.  
Tuttle, Major, farmer.  
Tuttle, George, farming.  
Tuttle, Levi, farming.  
Treese, Reuben, carpenter.  
Thayer, Briggs, farming.  
Tyler, Morgan L., farmer, post office Coldwater  
Tyler, Alphonzo, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Tyler, William M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Turpinning, Peter, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Titus, Samuel, millwright, post office Coldwater.  
Titus, P. W., farming, post office Coldwater.

## U

Updyke, Lyman, blacksmith, post office Coldwater.

## V

Vaughan, Edward, farming.  
Vanderhoof, Martin, farming.  
Vanderbelt, Orrin, farming, post office Coldwater.

## W

Wilson, James, farmer.  
Williams, Israel, farmer.  
Williams, Alfred, farming.  
Wilkinson, Silas, carpenter.  
Welch, William, farming.  
Wilcox, David, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Woodard, Charles H., farming.  
White, Isaac H., farming, post office Coldwater.  
Whitaker, Almon, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Willis, Elisha, manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.  
Willis, George, manufacturer of lumber, post office Coldwater.  
Willis, N. E., works in saw-mill, post office Coldwater.  
Wilcox, Amos, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Worthington, Stacy, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Washburn, Lauren, farmer.  
Webb, Charles, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Winans, William, farming.  
Winans, Joseph, farming.  
Wilcox, William, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Wilcox, Jedediah, farmer, post office Coldwater.

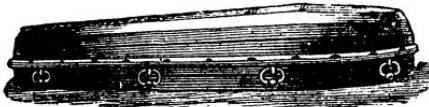
Wortz, Conrad, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Wilcox, Lewis, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Willis, William, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Wagner, George, cooper, post office, Coldwater.  
 Whitmarsh, Eber, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
 Watson, Thomas, farming.  
 Wainer, William, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Whitaker, William, farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Whitaker, John D., farming, post office Coldwater.  
 Whitaker, Albert A., farming, post office Coldwater.

**Z**

Zuver, Milton B., farmer.

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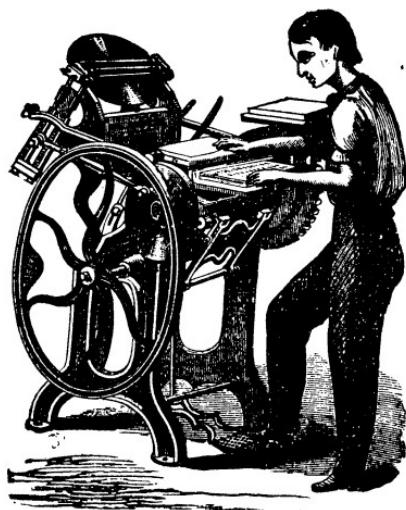
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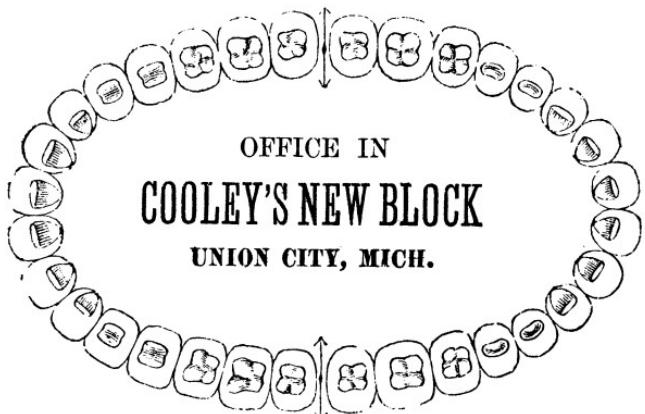
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UNION Township is bounded north by Calhoun county, east by Girard, south by Batavia and west by Sherwood. Union was first settled by J. G. Hammond and Esquire Moseley in 1833; also Martin Barnhart who built the Cookush Mills at Hodunk, afterwards burned. In 1836-8 Esq. Case, Buel, Hawley, and others settled in this township. Union is watered by the St. Joseph and Coldwater rivers, and was heavily timbered with walnut, whitewood, beech, maple, etc., and has a deep rich soil, but owing to the heavy timber the improvements progressed but slowly for many years.

The Hon. Ezra Bostwick, one mile southwest of Union City, has a large and valuable farm, and although his buildings may be called old style, they are numerous enough to be called a country villa.

Union has the advantage over all other towns in the county, having the best water privileges, and consequently has better facilities for manufacturing. Now having the Michigan Air Line Railroad completed through the town, giving her advantages which she will not be slow in accepting.

Union contains the village of Orangeville, (or Hodunk) it has a public house, post office, one general store, blacksmith shop, a flouring mill five stories high. This mill was erected by Roland Root of Coldwater, in 1847. There are two saw mills on Coldwater River between Orangeville and Union City.

Union City is on the Michigan Air Line Railroad, thirteen miles northwest of Coldwater, a flourishing village, third in size in the county. It contains a saw mill and flouring mill, a large foundry on the spot where stood the old smelting works for the manufacture of iron ore obtained from the town of Butler. Should the water-power be fully developed Union City will be, ere long, the first manufacturing town in Southern Michigan.

It contains three churches, several fine brick blocks and others in process of erection, two hotels, carriage shops, blacksmith shops, offices, etc., a union school building of five departments, and many fine residences. The *Union City Register*, a weekly journal lately enlarged

and improved, is published by Bowen & Easton, young men well qualified for the positions they occupy.

Union City has a population of 1,035, Union Township 1,102.

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High. (see advt.)****CORBIN & TUCKER, general merchandise, east side Broadway.****CARPENTER, S. D., carriage and wagon maker, south side High.  
(see advt.)****CHASE, H. H., jeweler, in Leonard & Antisdale's store. (see advt.)****Crissy & Spring, hardware, stoves, etc., 1 masonic block.****Crocker & Watkins, general merchandise, Broadway.**

Carpenter, R., furniture dealer, Broadway.

Chevis, Misses, millinery and dressmaking Broadway.

Crissy, Hiram, groceries and crockery, 2 masonic block.

## D

DARRIN, G. L., blacksmith, Broadway, south of River. (see card.)

DRUMM, A. M., farrier, High. (see advt.)

DRUMM, A. M. & CO., livery, west High, south side. (see advt.)

Dennison, Carlos, cooper, south of River.

## E

Ewers, H. F., physician and surgeon, west side Broadway.

Ewers, H. F. & C. E., drugs and medicines, west side Broadway.

## H

Hill, A. L., boot and shoe maker, west side Broadway.

## L

Lantz & Macy, proprs. Union City Mills.

Lee, E. L., harness, saddles, etc., cor. Broadway and Charlotte.

LEONARD & ANTISDALE, insurance agents.

LEONARD & ANTISDALE, general merchandise, east side Broadway. (see advt.)

LUSK, S., carriage and wagon manufactory, north side High. (see advt.)

## M

Merrifield, William C., meat market, Broadway.

Marble & Loomis, meat market, Ellen.

McCLELLAN, WILLIAM, photographer. (see advt.)

Morrill, M., hardware and groceries, east side Main.

MERRIFIELD, M. A., attorney at law.

Morehead, D. B., sash, doors, blinds, etc., south of River.

Morrill S. & Co., grocers, cor. Broadway and Ann.

Matthews, Miss E. J., millinery and dressmaking, over Spencer's drug store.

Macy, J. W., physician and surgeon, over Aiken's store.

## N

Nye, S. H., foundry and machine shop, south of River.

## O

Olney, Mrs. L. E., millinery, over Leonard & Antisdale's.

**P**

Perry, E., Postmaster.

**R**

Robinson, H., barber, Broadway.

Rowell & Seymour, billiard hall.

**S**

Saunders & Corbin, boots and shoes, and groceries, west side Broadway.

SMITH, J. D., dentist, masonic block. (see advt.)

SPENCER, R. & SON, drugs and medicines, Broadway. (see advt.)

**T**

Titlow Bros., livery, Broadway, near River.

**U**

Union City House, J. J. Freemyer, prop., cor. Broadway and High.

UNION CITY REGISTER, Bowen & Easton, proprs., third story

Cooley's Block. (see advt.)

Undertaker's Agency, C. W. Crocker, agent.

**W**

Whiting, C. M., groceries, Broadway, near High.

Weeks, A. J., homeopathic physician.

WELLSLEY, CHARLES, tailor, east side Broadway.

Wemple, Silas, carpenter and builder, shop south of River.

Wellman, J. D., M. D., physician and surgeon, Broadway.

Watson, Miss Nellie, dressmaker, over Leonard & Antisdale's.

**Y**

YOUNGS & BUNDY, blacksmiths, south side High. (see advt.)

**Z**

Zimmerman, J. D., wagon and blacksmith shop, north side High.

## UNION CITY VILLAGE.

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### A

- Aiken, A. B., boot and shoe merchant, cor. Fenton and Broadway.  
Avery, R., farming, High.  
**ANTISDALE, JAMES S.**, dry goods merchant, Charlotte. (see adv.)  
Aiken, George E., boot and shoe merchant, High.  
**ARMSTRONG, W.**, dry goods merchant, bds. Ellen.

### B

- Blackwell, Louis, mason, west of Main on county line.  
Bostwick, Ezra, prop. mills, cor. Main and Charlotte.  
Buel, M. F., farmer, Hammond.  
Buel, Mrs. widow, Hammond.  
Barber, E., farmer, Hammond.  
Barton, Isaac, mason, High west of Main.  
Bennett, Rev. Mr., clergyman, cor. High and Ansfield.  
Burnham, William, carpenter, cor. High and Park.  
**BOWEN, JEROME**, banker, High west of Park.  
Buel, William, patent right dealer, High west of Ann.  
Boice, James, shoemaker, Crane east of Broadway.  
Blossom, L., drayman, Broad.  
**BUEL, GEORGE W.**, banker, Ellen.  
Buel, Darius, retired carpenter, Main north of Charlotte.  
Bowson, J. L., laborer, south of High.  
Brown, Clark, bds. at W. W. Rowel's.  
Bennett, Andrew, carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Boyer, Joseph, carpenter, Charlotte.  
**BUNDY, CHARLES O.**, blacksmith, Charlotte. (see advt.)  
Brown, William W., carriage painter, Charlotte.  
Brown, James A., carpenter, Charlotte.  
Bailey, William, carriage trimmer, Charlotte.  
Booth, Albert, laborer, bds. Broadway.  
Buel, S. D., carpenter, Broadway.  
Brown, W. H., carpenter, Ann.

**C**

- CORBIN, HORACE, merchant, cor. High and Ansfield.  
 Chivvis, John, butcher, High.  
 Coddington, Mrs. E., widow, High.  
 CHASE, H. H., joiner, Broad.  
 Cleveland, E., carpenter, over Crocker & Watkins' store.  
 Cooley, D. R., retired merchant, Main bet. Mosely and county line.  
 Chaddock, E. G., clergyman, north end John.  
 Campbell, O. C., builder, cor. John and Hammond.  
 Carpenter Volney, blacksmith, Hammond.  
**CARPENTER, MORRIS**, cabinet maker, High east of Main. (see advt.)  
**CARPENTER, SAMUEL D.**, wagon maker, High east of Main.  
 (see advt.)  
 Clark, I. W., retired merchant, High.  
 Carpenter, Richard, furniture dealer, cor. High and Ansfield.  
**CORBIN, HENRY**, merchant, Ellen.  
 Crissy, H., grocer, Charlotte.  
 Church, David, retired grocer, Charlotte.  
 Corbin, Samuel, merchant, Charlotte.  
 Chaffee, Henry, harness maker, Ann.  
 Chaffee, George, farming, Ann.  
**CROCKER, CHARLES W.**, dry goods merchant, bds. Broadway  
 north Cong. church.  
 Crissy, H., (Crissy & Spring, hardware,) Ellen.  
 Chase, H. H., jeweler, township.  
 Cook, David, laborer, Woodruff.

**D**

- Dodge, E. L., carpenter, north end Main.  
**DRUMM, ANDREW, LIVERY**, High. (see advt.)  
 Dennison, Marvin, cooper, Woodruff.  
 Dennison, Charles F., cooper, Woodruff.  
**DARRIN, G. L.**, blacksmith, Ellen. (see advt.)  
 Dodge, H. S., wagon maker, Ellen.  
 Decker, W. T., carpenter, Charlotte.  
 Dupue, Isaac, laborer, Charlotte.  
 Dorsy, William, porter, Union City Hotel.  
 Drumm, William, retired livery keeper, Ellen.

**E**

- Ewers, H. F., physician, Main north of Charlotte.

Eddy, Sherman, joiner, Crane south of St. Joseph.  
**EASTON, DAVID J.**, pub. "Union City Register," Ellen. (see  
 advt.)  
 Ewers, Charles, druggist, bds. Broadway.  
 Engle, N. B., wagon maker, Ellen.  
 Ehle, A., teamster, Coldwater road.

**F**

Fitzgerald, Dorr, physician, cor. St. Joseph and St. Mary.  
 Frisbie, S. W., clergyman, Ellen.  
 French, Hull, blacksmith, Charlotte.  
**Freemyer, J. J.**, prop. Union City Hotel, cor. Broadway and High.  
 Freemyer, George, manufacturer spring beds, Union City Hotel.

**G**

Graham, Ellis, painter, bds. at C. Lusk's.  
 Griffin, Merritt, joiner, Crane south of St. Joseph.  
 Garnsey, J., carpenter, cor. Woodruff and St. Joseph.  
 Gorman, S., carpenter, St. Joseph.  
 Gorman, Daniel, laborer, Woodruff.  
 Gifford, David, farmer, Charlotte.

**H**

Hawley, Mrs. Martha, Hammond.  
 Hulzworth, George, blacksmith, bds. at C. Lusk's.  
 Hulzworth, John, blacksmith, bds. at C. Lusk's.  
 Haymaker, Frank, blacksmith, west end High.  
 Hawley, Asa, farmer, Broadway.  
 Hammond, Barney, retired physician, Broad south of Felton.  
 Henderson, Charles, harness maker, St. Joseph.  
 Hudson, George, stone mason, south end Woodruff.  
 Hall, William, carpenter, Park.  
 Haymaker, George, mason, Ellen.  
 Haymaker, James, laborer, Ellen.  
 Harvey, James H., mason, Charlotte.  
 Hills, A. L., shoemaker, Broadway.  
 Hurd, William P., retired physician, Main north of Cong. church.

**J**

Jeffrey, Joseph, laborer, Hammond.  
 Johnson, M. E., tailor, Broadway.  
 Johnson, Charles, carriage painter, Mosely.

Johnson, Francis, laborer, Charlotte.

Johnsen, Jonathan, retired merchant, Charlotte.

Judd, Leroy, manufacturer of sash, doors, etc., Coldwater road.

## K

Kinnebrook, William, cor. High and Ansfield.

## L

Leonard, Joseph C., farmer, Main north of Charlotte.

**LEONARD, JAMES T., (LEONARD & ANTISDALE, MERCHANTS,) Hammond.** (see advt.)

Lusk, Cyrus, wagon maker, High east of Main.

Leigh, Spencer, wagon maker, bds. at C. Lusk's.

Lock, Carpenter, cooper, Crane.

Lock, Dennis, cooper, Crane.

Lemreaux, L., baker, south end Woodruff.

Lee, George, farmer, St. Joseph.

Lusk, Ira, laborer, Charlotte.

Lee, E. L., harness maker, Charlotte.

Leach, C. D., carpenter, Charlotte.

**LEWIS, SAMUEL,** dry goods merchant.

Lincoln, L. G., retired farmer, Ellen.

Loomis, L. A., (Marble & Loomis, meat market,) Broadway.

**LUSK, SILAS,** wagon maker, cor. Ellen and Hellen. (see advt.)

## M

Marble, Albert, butcher, Main.

Mosely, William, retired merchant, Main north of Cong. church.

Morehead, D. B., prop. sash factory, Hammond.

Morrell, M., grocer, Hammond.

Moore, James, painter, bds. at C. Lusk's.

Merritt, George, butcher, High, west end.

McCall, John, wagon maker, west end High.

Macy, Dr., over Aikins' shoe store.

Miller, J. F., stone mason, bds. Ellen.

McDonald, E., carpenter, Charlotte.

Morrell, S., grocer, Ellen.

Marble, Albert, (Marble & Loomis, meat market,) Broadway.

Mosely, William A., book-keeper, Main north of Cong. church.

Mosely, H. B., farming, Main north of Cong. church.

Merrifield, William C., butcher, Broadway.

Macy, J., physician, Broadway.

MERRIFIELD, M. A., lawyer, bds. at Union City Hotel.

McCLELLAN, WILLIAM M., photographer, bds. at Union City Hotel. (see advt.)

## N

Nichols, Samuel, laborer, St. Joseph.

Norton, John W., works in foundry, cor. Broadway and Ellen.

Nye, S. H., prop. foundry, Ellen.

Newberry, Frank D., teacher, John.

Norton, John W., Jr., carpenter, Broadway.

Nece, Jacob, tailor, Charlotte.

## O

Olney, William A., carpenter, north end John.

Olmsted, George, painter, Charlotte.

## P

Peck, Mrs. Eliza, housekeeping, west end High.

Peck, Mrs. Emeline, housekeeping, Broadway.

Paiyne, Thomas F., painter, Crane.

Pratt, I. R., dry goods clerk, Charlotte.

Palmer, John, farming, Broadway.

Parks, John D., moulder, Hellen.

Parks, George F., moulder, Charlotte.

Parks, Charles, shoemaker, Charlotte.

PERRY, EDWIN, postmaster, Broadway.

Parmelee, William M., veterinary surgeon, bds. at Titlow's.

## R

Ripley, S., carpenter and joiner, cor. Mary and Mosely.

Rogers, D., physician, High west of Main.

Robinson, Henry, barber, High west of Park.

Raymond, Lewis, blacksmith, Crane.

Ranieu, Frank, laborer, Broad.

Rowe, L. W., mechanic, St. Joseph.

Rowell, W. W., laborer, Broadway.

Redout, Thomas, carpenter.

Renew, William, farming, Broadway.

Rowe, Elmer, saloon keeper, Charlotte.

Rowell, Jared, billiard hall, Charlotte.

Rubottom, Lawrence, retired farmer, Charlotte.

Rowell, J. M., retired farmer, Broadway.  
 Roe, Mason, livery, bds. at Union City Hotel.

**S**

Spring, Charles, hardware merchant.  
 Seymour, Henry, tinner, north end Main.  
 Smith, Mrs., Hammond.  
 Schatenhofer, S., wagon maker, bds. at C. Lusk's.  
 Spafford, Levi, carpenter, High west of Ann.  
 Slade, Cyrus, wagon maker, Fenton.  
 Saulsbury, Daniel, laborer, west end High.  
 Sweet, Ezra, painter, St. Joseph.  
 Smith, S. A., blacksmith, Ellen.  
 Spendlove, P., blacksmith, Ellen.  
 Saunders, C. W., retired merchant, Ellen.  
 Strong, Sylvester, retired farmer, Ellen.  
 Still, Axie M., housekeeping, Ellen.  
 Streeter, J. M., clerk dry goods, bds. High.  
 SMITH, J. D., dentist, Ellen. (see advt.)  
 Seymour, C., painter, Ann.  
 Spencer, J., druggist, Ellen.  
 Spencer, Willis, (J. Spencer & Son, druggists,) Ellen.

**T**

Tower, Isaac, carpenter, west of Main on county line.  
 Tabor, Judson, carpenter, west of Main on county line.  
 Truman, William, farmer, Park.  
 Thayer, Eber, retired farmer, Ellen.  
 TUCKER, JOHN B., dry goods merchant, Charlotte.  
 Titlow, George, hotel prop., southwest cor. Broadway and High.  
 Titlow, Charles, hotel prop., southwest cor. Broadway and High.  
 Turner, J. W., farmer, Charlotte.  
 TRICKEY, AUGUST F., barber, bds. Union City Hotel.

**V**

Vanorum, William H., horse dealer, High.

**W**

Wemple, Silas, joiner, Main north of Charlotte.  
 Whiting, Charles, grocer, Main north of Charlotte.  
 Wier, J. J., painter, west end High.  
 Watkins, Henry, produce buyer, Broadway south of race bridge.

Wemple, C. L., wagon maker, Fenton bet. Crane and Broadway.  
 Wilburn, George, joiner, Broad south of Felton.  
 Wolcott, Royal, farmer, Broad south of Felton.  
 West, Hiram, farmer, St. Joseph.  
 West, Oliver, farmer, St. Joseph.  
 West, Henry, carpenter, St. Joseph.  
 West, Solomon, laborer, Hellen.  
 West, Amos, farmer, Hellen.  
 Ward, Harvey, carpenter, Charlotte.  
 Warfield, L. K., farmer, Charlotte.  
 WATKINS, E. M., dry goods merchant, Charlotte.  
 Willman, John D., physician, Broadway.  
 Weeks, A. J., physician, bds. at Union City Hotel.  
 Wellesley, C., tailor, bds. at Union City Hotel.  
 White, J. C., carpenter.

**X**

Youngs, C. L., retired farmer, Hellen.  
 YOUNGS, ADNA, blacksmith, Charlotte. (see advt.)

**Z**

Zimmerman, Morris, retired farmer, Mosely.  
 Zimmerman, J. D., blacksmith, cor. High and John.  
 Zimmerman, Charles A., blacksmith, cor. High and John.

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**UNION TOWNSHIP.**

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**TOWNSHIP OFFICERS :**

**SUPERVISOR—J. D. ACKERMAN.**  
**CLERK—ESTES McDONALD.**  
**TREASURER—LORENZO G. LINCOLN.**  
**JUSTICES—THOMAS B. BUEL, JEROME BOWEN,  
 EDWIN PERRY, E. G. R. WAIT.**

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**A**

Armstrong, Alfred, farmer.  
 Andrews, Lewis, farmer.

Alvord, O. J., farmer.

Ackerman, John D., farmer, post office Orangeville.

**B**

Baker, O. S., farmer, post office Orangeville.

Bonswell, James, farming.

Buell, Thomas B., farmer.

Buell, David L., farmer.

Burkholder, Dennis, farming.

Buell, Chauncey, farmer.

Buell, Ira B., farming.

Barden, William, farming, post office Coldwater.

Beers, Almon, farmer.

Burton, O. W., farmer.

Botswick, Edward, farmer.

Baker, Jasper, farmer.

Barr, James, farming.

Barnhart, Mahlon B., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Bell, Enos, farmer.

Bell, Charles, farming.

Brown, William, ditcher.

Bell, John C., farmer.

Blazier, Peter, farmer.

Blazier, E. S., farmer.

Blazier, Henry, farmer.

Brooks, Michael, farmer.

Buell, John Q., farmer.

Bellinger, Jeremiah, farmer, post office Coldwater.

Burns, Patrick, post office Orangeville.

Burns, Mathew, farming, post office Orangeville.

Branker, Daniel, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Blanchard, Alonzo, farming, post office Orangeville.

Barnes, Samuel, laborer, post office Orangeville.

Baker, Mary O., housekeeping, post office Orangeville.

Barnes, Ransom, lumber dealer, post office Orangeville.

Bucknum, Isaac, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Bemas, Moses, carpenter, post office Orangeville.

Brown, Matthew, farming.

Brown, C. M., farming.

Bellard, Thomas, farmer.

Bellard, Franklin, farming.

Burnet, Bishop, farmer.  
Bennett, Andrew, carpenter.  
Barnes, D. farming.  
Blazier, Jacob, farmer.  
Barnhart, John, farming.  
Burns, Addison, works in saw-mill.  
Burnett, Leander, farmer.  
Burnett, Austin, carpenter.  
Burnett, Charles L., farmer.  
Burnett, Horace, farmer.  
Brooks, A., farmer.  
Burton, E. D., carpenter.  
Baker, Ira, farmer.

## C

Carr, Alexander, retired miller, post office Coldwater.  
Colby, Price, teamster.  
Case, Cyrus, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Case, Henry, farming.  
Case, Willie, farming.  
Case, Elbert, farming.  
Craw, I. B., farmer.  
Clay, I. J. R., farmer.  
Coddington, Reuben, farmer.  
Clifford, Ira, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Case, Martin, farming.  
Case, Edmond, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cranston, S. P., farmer.  
Champney, Charles W., farming.  
Covey, Valentine, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Chapman, E. S., farming, post office Orangeville.  
Curtis, Charles, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Curtis, E. W., farmer.  
Chapman, William, farming.  
Covey, R. W., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Covey, Allen, stone mason, post office Coldwater.  
Cady, Prosper, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cornell, Job K., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Cornell, W. L., physician, post office, Coldwater.  
Clesat, John, farming, post office Orangeville.  
Cuyler, Eunice, housekeeping, post office Coldwater.  
Cuyler, James, farming, post office Coldwater.

Cuyler, Ezra, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cuyler, Mathew, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Cuyler, Hiram, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Carr, John, farming, post office Orangeville.  
Cartwright, William, farmer.  
Chivvis, Edmond, teamester.  
Corbin, S. B., farmer.  
Chase, William, farmer.  
Chase, E. S., farmer.  
Carey, H. H., farming.  
Casier, James, works in saw-mill.  
Casier, Dennis, works in saw-mill.  
Cobb, Truman, farmer.  
Casier, Abel S., farming.  
Cain, John, farmer.  
Cain, Daniel, retired farmer.

**D**

Darlin, David, farming.  
Davis, A. J., farming.  
Day, Clarisa E., housekeeping.  
Day, R. L. farming.  
Day, R. A., lumber dealer.  
Dupue, Ira, farmer.  
Decker, John I., farming, post office Orangeville.  
Downs, Harrison, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Downs, M. B., engineer in mill, post office Orangeville.  
Dennison, L., farmer.  
Dennison, E., retired farmer.  
Dennison, O. W., farmer.  
Demott, A. C., farming.

**E**

Eddy, John R., carpenter.  
Eddy, Joseph, blacksmith.

**F**

Filkins, Arthur, farming, post office Coldwater.  
Feller, Edgar, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Ferguson, Elijah, farmer.  
Faurot, Thomas, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Fellows, Sylvester, post office Orangeville.  
French, M. W., carpenter.

Finton, George, farmer.

Feller, Edwin, carpenter.

## G

Groesbeck, Daniel, farmer.

Gibbs, Philip, farmer.

Geddes, M. G., farming.

Gee, William H., carpenter.

Grove, Hannah, housekeeping.

Gillen, George W., farmer.

Gillen, Dennis, farmer.

Gillen, Josiah, farmer.

Gibson, John, carpenter, post office Coldwater.

Gillet, Levi, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Griffin, Clark, farming.

Griffin, Henry, farming.

Griffin, Nelson, farmer.

Griffeth, Austin, proprietor Hodunk mill, post office Orangeville.

Gifford, R. J., farming.

Garmon, John T., farming.

## H

Hayner, Parker, farmer.

Haight, Sidney, farming.

Hubbard, Thomas R., farmer.

Hubbard, Thomas W., music teacher.

Hubbard, George A., farming.

Hull, M. C. farmer.

Hubbard, William R., farmer.

Hull, Amanda, housekeeping.

Hull, Alfred, farming.

Hull, N. E., farming.

Hawley, Stephen, farming.

Hawkins, Lucius, farming.

Hubbard, Russell, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Hathaway, Josiah, mason.

Haynes, John S., farmer, post office Coldwater.

Hawley, Asa, farmer.

Hammond, Barney, retired physician.

Huyks, David, proprietor mill, post office Orangeville.

Hosmer, Charles, farming.

Hosmer, John, farming.

Harsh, Adam, farmer.

Harsh, William, farming.  
Hawley, David B., farmer.  
Hawley, Charles, farming.

**J**

Johnson, Henry, farmer.  
Jacobs, Lysander, carpenter.  
Jacobs, George H., carpenter, post office Coldwater.  
Jacobs, Charles L., painter.  
Johnson, Ezra, farmer.  
Johnson, James D., farmer.  
Johnson, James K. P., farming.  
Johnson, M. E., tailor.  
Johnson, C. E., carriage painter.  
Johnson, John, farmer.  
Johnson, Elias, laborer.

**K**

Kilburn, Elijah, farmer.  
Kidney, John P., farming.  
Knapp, Charles, farming.  
Knowls, Martin, farmer.  
Knowls, Adelbert, farming.  
Kenknight, Edward, farmer.  
Kenknight, Charles, farmer.  
Knowlton, William, farmer.  
Kosine, George, farming.  
Kessler, Aaron, carpenter.  
Kyte, Chester, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Knapp, William, carpenter.  
Kellogg, Smith M., broom-maker.  
King, Joel, farmer.  
Kidney, Lewis, laborer.

**L**

Lincoln, Charles, farmer.  
Lincoln, Caleb, retired tailor.  
Lincoln, O. L., farmer.  
Lee, William G., farmer.  
Lawler, Robert, farmer.  
Lahym, Joel, farmer.  
Lahym, Sophronia, housekeeping.  
Lahym, Willard, carpenter.

Lee, S. B., farmer.  
Lee, Seymour, farmer.  
Lee, George, farming.  
Lee, Oliver.  
Low, Charles, farmer.  
Lossing, Martin, blacksmith, post office, Orangeville.  
Lossing, S. H., hotel keeper, post office, Orangeville.  
Lossing, William H., farming, post office Orangeville.  
Lyon, A. J., farmer.  
Lawrence, George H., farming.  
Losy, Albert, farmer.  
Lusk, Elias, wagon maker.

**M**

Merrit, Robert, farming.  
Martin, J. T., farmer.  
Maxfield, M. B., farmer.  
More, William C., farmer.  
More, David W., farming.  
Mitchell, David, farmer.  
Mitchell, B. L., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mitchell, Newton, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Merritt, Gilbert, farmer.  
Morrell, Jeremiah, farmer.  
Morrell, Curtis, farmer.  
Morrell, Oliver, farming.  
Morse, H. C., famer.  
Merritt, E. F., farming.  
Martin, J., farmer.  
McDaniels, James, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Miles, Reuben, shoemaker, post office Orangeville.  
Mack, Joel, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Mack, Thomas, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Mann, Ann L., housekeeping.  
Morey, A. B., farmer,  
Morehouse, Harriet A., housekeeping.  
Manville, Levi, farmer.  
Maxfield, Charles T., farmer.

**N**

Newman, Henry, farmer.  
Nichols, William, farming.

Nelson, Benjamin, farmer.

Norcott, J. D., laborer.

## O

Osborn, Isaac, farmer.

Osborn, Samuel G., farmer.

Olds, H. H., manufacturer of lumber.

Osborn, John W., farmer.

Osborn, W. T., farmer.

Olds, Truman, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Olds, Jesse, farmer.

Olds, Philander, post office Coldwater.

O'Rouk, Patrick, farmer.

Olds, Joseph, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Ogden, Daniel B., farmer.

Ogden, Lyman, farming.

Olney, Enoch, stave manufacturer.

Olmsted, Walter, farmer.

Olmsted, H. P., farmer.

Olds, William, farming.

Olds, Frederick, farmer.

## P

Perry, Adelbert, farming.

Pratt, Elijah, retired physician.

Peck, Julius, farmer.

Parker, Ransom, carpenter.

Putnam, Myron, carpenter.

Putnam, Joseph, farmer.

Preston, Hanibal, farmer.

Putnam, George L., farmer.

Potter, George, farmer.

Potter, William, farming.

Parker, William, S., farmer.

Pickard, Otis, peddler.

Palmer, George L., farmer.

Perry, Charles C., farmer, post office Orangeville.

Packard, Staly, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Perry, J. B., farming, post office Orangeville.

Price, D. F., in saw-mill, post office Orangeville.

Philips, John, farmer, post office Orangeville.

Price, James R., farming.

Peck, Emeline, housekeeping.

Payne, Thomas F., painter.  
Prindell, William, farmer.

**R**

Reynolds, Reuben, farmer.  
Reynolds, Elisha, farming.  
Rolins, Wesley, farming.  
Ranspott, Henry, farming.  
Richards, Jacob, farmer.  
Randolph, E. F., farmer.  
Randolph, John F., farmer.  
Randolph, W. F., farming.  
Reynolds, James, laborer, post office Coldwater.  
Robinson, Lafayette, farmer.  
Ripley, James, carpenter, post office Orangeville.  
Richard, Harvey, farmer.  
Richard, James, farmer.  
Rusco, Laura P., housekeeping.  
Ripley, Asa E., carpenter.  
Roff, John T., blacksmith.  
Rogers, William B., proprietor mill, post office Orangeville.  
Roe, Samuel, retired farmer.  
Roe, A. C., farmer.

**S**

Shaub, Philip, farming, post office Orangeville.  
Smith, William, farmer.  
Strong, P. P., farming.  
Studley, J. D., farming.  
Swain, Albert, farmer.  
Swain, Charles E., farmer.  
Stair, James, farming.  
Smith, Charles, farming.  
Sweep, J. B., farmer.  
Smith, Solomon, farmer.  
Smith, Philip, farming.  
Smith, Z., farming.  
Sisco, Henry, farmer.  
Sisco, William, farmer.  
Sisco, Albert, farming.  
Smith, Charles A., carpenter.  
Sillsbury, J. G., farming.

Scovill, John M., farming.  
 Sullivan, J. C., farmer.  
 Swift, Lyman, farmer.  
 Swift, P. S., farmer.  
 Swift, O. O., farmer.  
 Swift, Geralvin, farming.  
 Spafford, Christopher, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
 Swan, L. M., farmer, post office Orangeville.  
 Sullivan, Abram, farming, post office Orangeville.  
 Swan, Orrin, farming, post office Orangeville.  
 Swan, A. J., farmer, post office Orangeville.  
 Simpson, William, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
 Sharts, Charles, grocer, post office Orangeville.  
 Speaker, Jacob, farmer, post office, Orangeville.  
 Sellwood, Charles, carpenter.  
 Sellwood, Edmond, farming.  
 Smith, Elwin, farming.  
 Shelden, William F., farmer.  
 Scott, E. O., farmer.  
 Snow, Samuel, farmer.  
 Stafford, Hosea, farming.  
 Stafford, Charles, farming.  
 Swan, Merrick, farmer.

**T**

Talbot, L. B., farmer.  
 Trear, Henry, farmer  
 Trear, George, laborer.  
 Trear, John, farming.  
 Tyler, George, farmer.  
 Troutman, D. B., farmer.  
 Troutman, William G., farming.  
 Troutman, John P., farming.  
 Troutman, J. F., farming.  
 Thorpe, George, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
 Talbott, James, farmer.  
 Tyler, George D., carpenter.

**V**

VanDuser, James, farmer.  
 Vosburg, James R., farmer.  
 VanGorder, John B., farmer.

Vosburg, John G., farmer.  
Vanschorck, Joseph, farmer.

VV

Willson, Hazzard, farmer.  
Wood, Aaron, farmer.  
Walsworth, Loren, farmer.  
Whitney, H. T., mason.  
Whitcomb, Harvey, farmer.  
Whitcomb, Harvey, jr., furnace moulder.  
Whitcomb, Stedman, farming.  
Wixson, Timothy, farmer.  
Warren, Stephen, farmer.  
Warren, F. D., farming.  
Wells, John M., farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wells, M. H., farming.  
Wright, John, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Wright, Frank, farming.  
Wamsley, William C., farmer.  
Wilder, A. H., blacksmith.  
Wells, Theodore, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Ward, Abner, farmer.  
Williams, Samuel, farmer.  
Whitcomb, C., retired farmer.  
Wiler, Joseph, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Worth, Charles, farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Wiggins, F. B., miller, post office Orangeville.  
Wait, E. G. R., farmer, post office Orangeville.  
Warden, Ezekial, farmer.  
Warren, Leonard, farmer.  
Wheeler, John M., farming.  
Whitmore, Burt, miller, post office Orangeville.  
Wetherall, Noah, farming.  
Wetherall, David, farming.  
Winters, D. P., farming.  
Welks, Christian, farming.  
West, John, farmer.  
West, John, P.,

## MATTESON TOWNSHIP.

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MATTESON is bounded north by Sherwood, east by Batavia, south by Bronson, and west by St. Joseph County.

Matteson was settled in 1831, by Robert Watson and Abamantha Culver, (father of the Hon. J. H. Culver). Mr. Matteson, from whom the township derives its name, settled on the west bank of Matteson Lake. In 1836 there were many added to the number, among whom were Messrs. Corson, Johnson, Hiram Gardner, Esq., and others.

Matteson is mostly timbered land and oak openings, with an extensive morass or wet prairie lying along the inlet and outlet of Matteson Lake. It contains much valuable farming land, and the last few years show much improvement in farming and farm buildings.

Matteson Center contains the Town House and a school house. The post office is located at the head of Matteson Lake, where is also a steam saw mill, general store, blacksmith, and shoe shop. The lake is abundantly supplied with fish, and is visited by many parties during the season.

The population of Matteson numbers 1,200.

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SUPERVISOR—SAMUEL B. CORSON.

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TREASURER—ROBERT E. COPLAND.

JUSTICES—PHILETUS SHAW,

G. S. BURNETT,

CHARLES BATHRICK,

A. J. RICHARDSON.

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### A

Allen, John Q., blacksmith.

Alger, William, farmer.

Alger, Charles, farming.  
Alger, Isaac, farming.  
Arnold, A. C., farmer.  
Arnold, William L., farming.  
Ash, George, farmer.  
Ambs, Joseph, tanner.  
Adams, Amos, farming.  
Anderson, Alexander, farming.

**B**

Bennett, Harrison, carpenter.  
Bennett, Susan C., housekeeping.  
Bennett, C. C., farmer.  
Burnham, E., invalid.  
Brown, George C., farmer.  
Blossom, Emery, farming.  
Beam, Jacob, farmer.  
Beam, Peter, farmer.  
Bathrick, E. C., engineer in mill.  
Bathrick, Charles, prop. saw mill.  
Bathrick, Edgar, in saw mill.  
Bradley, Leroy, on railroad.  
Burgan, Edwin, farmer.  
Baker, John, farmer.  
Burnett, G., farming.  
Baxter, Chauncey, farmer.  
Beach, Samuel H., farmer.  
Baker, Christopher, farmer.  
Brown, Erastus, farming.  
Blathrick, Spencer, wagon maker.  
Burt, N. O., farming.  
Blair, George F., painter.  
Bennett, John, farmer.  
Burkholder, Peter, farmer.  
Bennett, James M., farming.  
Benedict, Bentley, farmer.  
Benedict, A. R., farming.  
Burnham, Sarah A., housekeeping.  
Brower, Joseph, farmer.  
Baldwin, Monroe, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Barnes, Orrin, farming, post office Bronson.

Ballou, Jemima, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Blass, Charles, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Benton, Byron, farmer, post office Bronson.

**C**

Chapman, Amos, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Chapman, Lester O., farming, post office Bronson.  
Carter, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Corson, S. B., farmer.  
Corson, Samuel L., farming.  
Corson, A. H., farmer.  
Corson, S. W., farmer.  
Corson, Aden, farming.  
Cushman, D. V., farmer.  
Colwell, C., farming.  
Copeland, Robert, farmer.  
Cross, Huron, farmer.  
Cross, Volna, farmer.  
Connet, Stephen, farming.  
Clater, Joseph, farming.  
Culver, J. H., farmer.  
Culver, A., farmer.  
Culver, Oliver, farmer.  
Coster, John, farming.  
Colton, Benjamin, laborer.  
Conn, George C., wagon maker.  
Culver, Orris, farming.  
Corvard, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Cushman, Donald, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Chapman, L. O., farming.  
Corson, D., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Corson, E. M., farming.  
Clay, C., farmer.  
Clay, Benjamin F., farming.  
Chamberlin, William G., farmer.  
Carlile, J., farming.  
Case, Willis, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Cunningham, James, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Cunningham, William, clerk, post office Bronson.  
Carter, Chauncy, farmer, post office Bronson.

**D**

- Dunn, Thomas, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Dunn, C. S., farming, post office Bronson.  
Dupoe, Cornelius, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Denoils, M., peddler.  
Denoils, George B., farmer.  
Davis, James, farmer.  
Dupes, Henry, farming.  
Deharsh, George, farmer.  
Douk, B. J., cooper.  
Dennison, H. T., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Dupes, Edgar, farming, post office Bronson.  
Dethrick, Charles W., farming.  
Dean, Jacob, farming.  
Decker, J. W., farmer.  
Decker, George E., farming.  
Danes, Ezra, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Dennison, William H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Davis, Mary, housekeeping.

**E**

- Ellis, E. C., farming.  
Eberhard, J. S., farmer.  
Eberhard, Nathaniel, farming.  
Eberhard, Henry, farming.  
Eberhard, John G., farmer.  
Eberhard, Henry, Jr., farming.

**F**

- Flint, Oliver, farmer.  
Fisk, James, farming.  
Fisk, Mary J., housekeeping.  
Fisk, A. D., farming.  
Fulton, George W., farmer.  
Farrand, James W., peddler.  
Frederick, J., farmer.  
Frederick, Samuel, farming.  
Frederick, George W., farming.  
Faxon, E. S., farmer.  
Faxon, Henry, farming.  
Fordham, Solomon, farmer.

Fredericks, Henry, farming.  
Filkins, William W., farmer.  
Fisk, E. C., farmer.  
Forbes, Ephraim, farming, post office Bronson.

**G**

Grawbadger, A., farmer.  
Guin, Benjamin, farmer.  
Gardner, Hiram, farmer.  
Gardner, Samuel, farming.  
Guthrie, E. J., farmer.  
Gray, I. N., farmer.  
Gray, James, farming.  
Gardner, Amos, farmer.  
Gray, A. P., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Gills, David, farmer.

**H**

Humphrey, Leroy, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hawn, Thomas, farmer.  
Hoyt, William, farmer.  
Hoyt, Thompson, farmer.  
Hackett, Hiram, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hollister, A. N., farmer.  
Hand, Elijah, farming.  
Haynes, N. A., farmer.  
Hunt, A. B., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Haight, John, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Hoag, R. G., farming.  
Hibbard, Elmer, farming.  
Hawley, Nelson, farmer.  
Hawley, John, farming.  
Hazzard, Enoch, farmer.  
Hull, Francis, farming.  
Hogoboon, John, farmer.  
Harris, J. L., farmer.  
Henry, Julius, farming.  
Hagenbaugh, C., farmer.  
Hoppen, Curtis, laborer.  
Hendrick, Alvey, farming.  
Hazen, Earl, farmer.

Hemmenway, F., laborer.  
Hamilton, Charles, farming.  
Hammond, John, farming.  
Hammond, W. H., farmer.

**I**

Ide, Horatio, farmer.

**J**

Johnson, James O., farmer.  
Johnson, Homer F., farming.  
Johnson, R. O., farming.  
June, Nelson, farming.  
Judd, J. C., farmer.  
Jump, Erastus, farmer.  
Jackson, J. D., farmer.  
James, William T., farmer.  
James, Henry, farming.  
Johnson, David M., farmer, post office Bronson.

**K**

Kent, George, farmer.  
Keyes, George, farmer.  
Kissinger, Jacob, carpenter.

**L**

Lockwood, Charles, farmer.  
Lyster, Reuben, farming.  
Lowry, Catharine, housekeeping.  
Lowry, William, farming.  
Lytle, James, farmer.  
Lytle, Rolla, farming.  
Lewis, L. K., farming.  
Lyter, Michael, farmer.  
Lyter, Joseph, farmer.  
Lyter, Henry, farming.  
Lyter, Jacob, farmer.  
Lyter, Jacob, Jr., farming.  
Lyter, George, farmer.  
Lilly, Samuel, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Lilly, Henry M., farming, post office Bronson.  
Lindley, Lovica, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Lyon, Charles W., farmer.

**M**

Mills, Adolphus, farming, post office Bronson.  
Monroe, Jesse, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Meradith, Jesse, farmer, post office Bronson.  
McNall, Henry, farming.  
Miller, William R., farmer.  
Miller, Hudson, farmer.  
McLean, Hector, farmer.  
McLean, Judson, farming.  
Mingus, James, farmer.  
Mingus, Jonathan, farmer, post office Coldwater.  
Mingus, Asa, farmer.  
Mingus, James, farming.  
Mingus, Daniel, farmer.  
Mingus, Danforth, farming.  
McCarty, Curtis, farmer.  
McCarty, William M., farmer.  
Markham, William M., farmer.  
Monroe, Alvin, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Myers, Michael, farmer.  
McCrea, John, farmer.  
McCrea, Isaac, farmer.  
Mills, Adelbert, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Mason, Tyler, farmer, post office Bronson.

**N**

Nash, E. B., manufacturer of lumber.  
Noyes, C. H., farmer.  
Northway, S. P., farmer, post office Bronson.

**O**

Orcutt, J. N., carpenter.  
Orcutt, D. L., retired grocer.  
Olin, David, farmer.  
Ormsby, E. T., farmer.

**P**

Purdy, John, farming, post office Bronson.  
Panless, John, farming.  
Palmer, Henry, farmer.  
Palmer, William, farming.

Powles, Selah, farmer.  
Price, Joel, farming.  
Price, John C., farming.  
Philips, C., farmer.  
Parham, A. V., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Parker, O. W., agent for lightning rods, post office Bronson.  
Pond, William, farming, post office Bronson.  
Paul, Thomas, works on railroad, post office Bronson.  
Peck, William, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Perkins, William, farmer, post office Bronson.

**Q**

Quear, Amanda, housekeeping, post office Bronson.  
Quear, Charles, farming, post office Bronson.

**R**

Ruple, N. S., blacksmith, post office Bronson.  
Richardson, A. J., farmer, post office Matteson.  
Relyea, S. B., farming, post office Bronson.  
Reynolds, Francis, farmer.  
Reynolds, William F., farming.  
Robins, Harriet, housekeeping.  
Roseberry, William, farmer.  
Roseberry, Jacob, farmer.  
Roseberry, George W., farmer.  
Read, Charles, in saw mill.  
Rudd, L., farmer.  
Russell, J. H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Rich, D. F., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Rice, George C., farming.  
Rudd, Smith, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Root, William H., farming, post office Bronson.  
Ruple, Amasa, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Roe, David F., farming, post office Bronson.  
Robinson, Peter, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Robinson, Madison, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Rickard, George, farmer, post office Bronson.

**S**

Smith, A. H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Sawins, Louisa, housekeeping, post office Matteson.

Sawins, Isaac, manufacturer of lumber.  
Sawins, M. E., blacksmith.  
Shanks, Hiram, farmer.  
Sands, Edward, farmer.  
Simons, S., retired farmer.  
Smith, Seth, farmer.  
Stafford, John W., in mill.  
Stailey, Andrew, farmer.  
Stailey, Daniel, farmer.  
Stull, Solomon, farmer.  
Smith, O. R., farming.  
Smith, Daniel, farming.  
Shilts, Jackson, farmer.  
Sands, A. N., carpenter.  
Smith, N. S., farming.  
Smith, George W., farming.  
Shaffmaster, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shaffmaster, John H., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shaffmaster, Fritz, farming, post office Bronson.  
Shaw, Philetus, farmer.  
Stephens, A. B., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Stephens, Silas, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shaw, Noah, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shemmel, David, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Shed, David, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Smith, Emanuel, farmer.  
Stull, L., farmer.  
Shaw, P. P., farmer.  
Squire, John M., shoemaker.  
Snyder, E. A., farming.  
Shaffmaster, Henry, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Snyder, S. W., farming, post office Bronson.  
Snyder, George, farming, post office Bronson.  
Scales, Isaac, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Saunders, Sanford, farming, post office Bronson.

**T**

Thompson, C., farmer.  
Tillotson, C. C., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Taylor, Seymour, farmer.  
Trumbell, Amasa, farmer.

Trumbell, Charles, farmer.  
Turner, John W., farmer.  
Tilton, George W., farmer.  
Truce, Benjamin, farmer.  
Tillotson, James, farming.  
Turner, Ashley, farmer.  
Thompson, Charles, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Thompson, A. H., farmer.  
Thompson, M. J., farming.  
Thurston, A. G., farmer, post office Bronson.

**V**

Vanderhoof, Peter, farming.  
Vroman, Peter, retired farmer.  
Vanderhoof, Alvin, farmer.  
Vreeland, Lyman, farmer.  
Vroman, C., peddler.  
Vroman, Charles, farming.  
Vroman, Peter, retired farmer.  
Van Vorst, C. C., farmer, post office Bronson.

**W**

Warner, E. M., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Waite, Harry, farming, post office Bronson.  
Winon, Joseph, farming.  
Washburn, Daniel D., farmer.  
Wattles, A. F., farmer.  
Worts, Jacob, farmer.  
Webb, Joseph, farmer.  
Walbert, Nathan, farmer.  
Wightman, John M., shoemaker.  
Watson, Robert, farmer.  
Whitmore, Oscar, farmer.  
Watson, James D., farmer.  
Ward, Julius, farming.  
Wattles, Wallace, farmer.  
Whitmore, J. R., farmer.  
Wellington, William H., farming.  
Williams, James, farming.  
Wilcox, L. E., farmer.  
Whitman, Henry, farmer.

Waite, Henry, farming.  
Warner, Mark B., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Warner, George S., farmer, post office Bronson.  
Waller, Lewis, farming.  
Welch, George, farmer, post office Bronson.  
Welch, Salmon, farmer.

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## SHERWOOD TOWNSHIP.

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SHERWOOD is situated in the northwest corner of Branch county, is bounded north by Calhoun county, east by Union, south by Matteson, and west by St. Joseph county.

Sherwood was settled in 1836, by Hon. Isaac D. Beall, Mr. Studley, and others. It contains much fine farming land, well watered by the St. Joseph River, and crossed by the Michigan Air Line Railroad, and like Union was heavily timbered. Sherwood is mostly settled by people from New York and New England, who, accustomed to hardships, have not been afraid of them here, and the township, heretofore somewhat secluded and seldom visited except by some venturesome book agent, colporteur, and the tax-gatherer, has at last been made to bud and blossom like the rose.

The Railroad recently built will add much to the value of real estate in this township.

Sherwood has a population of 1,091.

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SUPERVISOR—LORING P. WILCOX.  
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TREASURER—HORACE O. LEE.  
JUSTICES—BESBEE, HENRY,  
ISAAC D. BEALL,  
IRA LAKE,  
L. P. WILCOX.

**A**

Ackley, A., farmer, post office Union City.  
Atwood, Hiram, farmer, post office Union City.  
Ansley, Perry, farmer.  
Ansley, Theodore, farming.

**B**

Brooks, Martin, farming.  
Blathrick, Lyman, farmer.  
Bond, Waitman, farmer.  
Burdue, Jacob, manufacturer of lumber.  
Blackwell, George W., mason.  
Barton, L., farmer.  
Bond, George, farmer.  
Bartlett, Chauncey, farmer.  
Bartlett, Arthur, farming.  
Bartlett, Charles, farmer.  
Breeson, Philip, farmer.  
Bennett, D. B., farmer.  
Bailey, Smith, farmer.  
Billings, Charles, farming, post office Union City.  
Buss, Daniel, farming.  
Buss, A., farming.  
Barton, R. M., farmer.  
Barton, Harvey, farmer.  
Barton, James, farming.  
Barton, Horace, farming.  
Bronson, Edward, farming, post office Union City.  
Burrows, Samuel, railroad laborer.  
Bukholz, John, railroad laborer.  
Buckley, A. G., blacksmith.  
Billings, N. A., farmer, post office Union City.  
Blackman, S. W., farmer, post office Union City.  
Blackmon, A. W., farming.  
Boughton, William W., carpenter.  
Bisbee, Henry L., farmer.  
Bond, George, farmer.  
Blossom, Benjamin, farmer.  
Blossom, William L., farmer.  
Beall, Harrison, farmer.  
Beall, Isaac D., farmer.

Bullock, Henry, farming.

Bradt, James, farming.

Barton, David, farmer.

**C**

Castor, U., farmer.

Cross, Hiram, farmer.

Collingwood, William, farming.

Carswell, E., farming.

Carswell, Miles, farmer.

Coddington, C. T., farmer.

Coddington, Charles D., farming.

Collins, Joseph, farming, post office Union City.

Connelly, M., railroad laborer.

Cole, Henry, farmer, post office Union City.

Cole, Amos D., farmer, post office Union City.

Clater, John, hunter.

Crandall, Henry, farming, Union City.

Carpenter, T. G., farming.

Case, William P., farmer.

**D**

Davis, Henry E., farming.

Davis, O, J., farming.

Davis, J. F., painter.

Davis, J. J., farming.

Davis, William T., farmer.

Dague, Levi, farmer.

Dague, Daniel, farming.

Disbro, Daniel, farmer, post office Union City.

Dunks, D. S., farmer, Union City.

Dunks, William C., farming, Union City.

Dunks, J. S., farming, post office Union City.

Doubleday, Hiram, retired farmer, post office Union City.

Doubleday, C. W., farming.

Doubleday, H. M., farmer, post office Athens.

Draper, Sidney, farmer.

Draper, James L., farming.

Douck, Samuel, farmer.

Delamater, William, farming.

Downing, John, farmer.

Downing, William, farming.  
Dorothy, George B., farming.  
Dane, Harvey, farmer,  
Dane, Joel, manufacturer of lumber.

**F**

Frantz, Simeon, farmer.  
Fasier, Robert, physician.  
Fry, Jacob, farmer.  
Fry, Lewis, farming.  
Fletcher, M. A., blacksmith.  
Fry, Henry F., farming.  
Fruger, C. A., farmer.  
Failing, Joseph, farmer, post office Union City.  
Failing, E., farming, post office Union City.  
Fisher, F. H., farmer, post office Union City.  
Fulton, John, farmer.  
Fulton, William D., farming.  
Fox, Hiram, farmer.  
Foster, Jacob, farming.  
Fredenburgh, M. F., farming.  
French, Francis, farming.  
Ford, Lucius R., farmer.  
Failing, Lavina, housekeeping.

**G**

Guin, J. R., farmer.  
Geoning, George, farmer.  
Gilaspie, George, farming.  
Guin, James, farmer.  
Gahiel, John, farming.  
Gates, William, farmer.  
Graves, L. B., farmer, post office Union City.  
Graves, A. N., farming.  
Guest, Munson, farming.  
Griswold, A. H., farming.  
Gilton, John F., farmer.  
Gains, George, farming.  
Goodrich, James, farmer.

**H**

Hugenbaugh, H., farmer.

Hazen, H. B., farmer.  
Hazen, Marion, farmer.  
Hazen, J., farming.  
Hazen, Frank E., farmer.  
Hazen, Hubert, farming.  
Howard, William, saw mill laborer.  
Hagenbaugh, F., laborer.  
Hagenbaugh, C., farmer.  
Henry, Warren, farmer.  
Hayes, James, railroad laborer.  
Hartford, N. F., cook.  
Hungerford, Hiram, farmer, post office Union City.  
Hungerford, Milton, farming, post office Union City.  
Henry, William, farming, post office Union City.  
Henry, Morris, farming, post office Union City.  
Harrington, Otis, farming, post office Union City.  
Holcomb, J. B., hunter.  
Havland, John B., farmer.  
Hatthorn, James, painter.  
Hall, Charles, farmer.  
Hibner, A., farming.  
Huper, William, farmer.  
Huper, James, blacksmith.  
Hives, George, farmer.  
Henry, Otis, farmer.  
Henry, Warren, farmer.

**I**

Isham, W. J., farmer, postoffice Union City.  
Isham, Edward, farming.

**J**

Jones, Henry, manufacturer of lumber.  
Jones, Isaac, manufacturer of lumber.  
Jones, Reuben, farmer.  
Jordon, William, farming.  
Jones, Catharine, housekeeping.  
Jones, John, farming.  
Jones, A., farming.  
Jones, George, farming.  
Jenks, Clinton, farmer.

Jones, Smith, farmer, post office Union City.  
Johnson, F. R., farmer, post office Union City.

**K**

Kimber, Robert, farmer,  
Klose, A. R., farming.  
Kline, Ephraim, farmer.  
Kline, Lewis, farming.  
Kilburn, S. L., farmer.  
Kline, Oscar, farmer, post office Union City.  
Kilburn, David, farmer.  
King, F., farming.  
Kellogg, Orsamus, farmer.  
Kingon, A. W., farmer.  
Kent, Daniel W., farmer.

**L**

Lee, John W., physician.  
Lathrop, Ferdinand, farmer, post office Union City.  
Luther, Curtis, farmer, post office Union City.  
Libby, Thomas, farming, post office Union City.  
Letherberry, Calvin, farming.  
Letherberry, Lemuel, farming.  
Letherberry, Abel, farmer.  
Letherberry, James, carpenter.  
Lowry, J., farmer.  
Lucas, Joseph, laborer.  
Lock, Josiah, farmer.  
Lockhard, Martin, farmer.  
Lockhard, Thomas, farming.  
Leatherberry, Sinclair, farmer.  
Long, C., laborer.  
Little, L. D., farmer.  
Laubmann, A., railroad laborer.  
Lockhard, Edward, in saw mill.  
Lake, Ira, farmer, post office Union City.  
Lake, Clark, farming, post office Union City.  
Losey, John M., farmer, post office Union City.  
Lee, John R., farmer.  
Lee, Horace, farmer.  
Lee, P. P., retired farmer.

Lee, Ira V., farming.  
Lee, Earl D., farming.  
Laird, George, farming.  
Long, Seldon, farmer.

## M

Manning, Richard, farmer.  
Mastin, H. A., farmer.  
Milligan, Hannah, housekeeping.  
Milligan, N. L., farming.  
Maxon, M. P., farming.  
McNelly, M., railroad laborer, post office Union City.  
Marion, Charles, railroad laborer.  
Munsell, Elijah, farmer, post office Union City.  
Maltby, Isaac, farmer.  
Moore, William, farming.  
Miller, Henry, farming, post office Union City.  
Mixon, Thomas, farmer.  
McCrary, A. C., farmer.  
McCrary, Leroy, farmer.  
McCrary, Frank, farming.  
Moyer, George, farmer.

## N

Newton, Nathan, farmer.

## O

Olney, Henrietta, housekeeping, post office Union City.  
Osborn, George, farmer, post office Union City.  
Osborn, B., farmer, post office Union City.  
O'Harra, M., railroad laborer.  
Ottoe, E., railroad laborer.  
Olmstead, E., farming, Union City.  
O'Bryan, James, farming.

## P

Philo, William, farmer.  
Philo, William W., farming.  
Philo, Charles H., farming.  
Parsons, George, farmer, post office Union City.  
Park, A., farming.  
Pohrer, Simeon, in saw mill.

Prentiss, Nelson, farmer.  
Palmer, T. F., farmer.  
Pierce, L. G., farmer.  
Palmer, Asa M., farmer.  
Palmer, W. C., farming.  
Palmer, J. Quincy, farming.  
Pierce, Cyrus M., carpenter.  
Pierce, Owen, farmer.

**R**

Ryder, Silas, carpenter.  
Robins, Chester, farmer.  
Rumsey, Peter, farmer.  
Rumsey, Daniel, farming.  
Rogers, Lyman, farming.  
Riley, Daniel D., farming, post office Union City.  
Robinson, H. M., farmer, post office Union City.  
Renew, Andrew, farmer.  
Renew, Peter, farmer.  
Renew, John, farming.  
Robinson, William, farming.  
Russell, J. T., farmer.  
Robinson, E. T., blacksmith, post office Athens.  
Roe, M. E., farmer, Union City.

**S**

Sinclair, A., laborer.  
Sweet, Thomas, farming.  
Spencer, M. O., physician, post office Union City.  
Studley, Warren, farmer.  
Studley, Lyman, farmer.  
Story, Isaac, stone mason.  
Stow, J., wagon maker.  
Saherhuig, John, railroad laborer.  
Spencer, I. P., farmer, post office Union City.  
Staunton, Edward, farmer, post office Union City.  
Spencer, W. M., farmer, post office Union City.  
Stanton, William A., farmer, post office Union City.  
Spencer, David, farming, post office Union City.  
Shaw, Benjamin, farmer, post office Union City.  
Shaw, George, invalid, post office Union City.  
Simons, R., farmer.

Standiford, James, farmer.  
Sargent, M., farming.  
Sexton, George, farmer.  
Sweden, M. H., laborer.  
Swikert, Jacob, farming.  
Studley, Jerome, grocer.

**T**

Tillotson, Jeremiah, farmer.  
Thomas, John, farming.  
Thomas, Frank J., farmer.  
Thornton, Marcus L., farmer.  
Thayer, John, farmer.  
Thayer, William, farmer.  
Taylor, N. C., farmer, post office Union City.  
Tomlinson, Alexander, farmer, post office Union City.  
Tenney, Edwin, mason.  
Taylor, Levi, farmer, post office Union City.  
Taylor, David, farmer.  
Tomlinson, John R., laborer.  
Tuttle, Theron, farmer.  
Travers, J. C., farmer.

**V**

Vanduesen, M., farmer.

**W**

Williamson, James R., farmer, post office Union City.  
Waugh, William.  
Wolf, Nancy, housekeeping, post office Union City.  
Warner, F. M., post office Coldwater.  
Walker, Hiram, laborer.  
Williams, Byron, shoemaker.  
Williams, Byron, Jr., farming.  
Waugh, Ann, housekeeping.  
Waum, Martin, railroad laborer.  
Wells, John, farming.  
Watkins, F. C., farmer, post office Union City.  
Watkins, Vincent, farmer, post office Union City.  
Wilcox, L. P., farmer, post office Union City.  
Wells, Perry, farmer.

Wickham, Amos, farming.  
 Wells, M. S., farmer.  
 Wilcox, Dexter, farmer.  
 Watkins, William, farmer.  
 Wilcox, Newcomb, farmer.  
 Wilcox, B. C., farmer.

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## BRONSON TOWNSHIP AND VILLAGE.

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BRONSON Township is bounded on the north by Matteson, east by Bethel, south by Noble, and west by St. Joseph county. Bronson was settled in 1829 by Joel Bronson, from whom the townhsip derived its name. Hon. Wales Adams, John G. Richardson and John Potter settled here in 1830. D. and A. Waterman in 1833. Mr. Wright, Rose, Alf. French and others came soon after this. Bronson, especially in and around the village, is remarkable for the nearness of the water to the surface precluding the possibility of having cellars under ground. Bronson was settled by very intelligent, enterprising men. Among whom are Mr. Rose, Messrs. Waterman, and the Hon. Wales Adams. Mr. Adams was originally from Massachusetts and came to Calhoun county when it was an unbroken wilderness, forded the Kalamazoo River at Kalamazoo, when there was but one log house in the place. He was then looking after a location to make his permanent home. This he found and settled where he now resides. He is widely known and highly esteemed. The old settlers have long known his worth and manly virtues.

Bronson contains several steam saw-mills, is crossed by the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railroad, and has an excellent market for all kinds of farm produce, at the thriving village by the same name. The village of Bronson contains a stave and lumber mill near the depot, which does an extensive business ; a cooperage, foundry and machine shop, fine brick blocks and other buildings for stores, shops, and offices. One church, Union school building, a weekly paper, *The Bronson Herald*, ably conducted by Babcock & Son, several blacksmith shops, carriage and wagon shops, three hotels, and many fine residences. Bronson ships a vast amount of produce, and does an extensive business for a town of its size, having a population of —.

Many are the quaint stories told about Mr. Bronson, the first settler before named. He acted as Territorial Magistrate for Branch and St. Joseph counties. On one occasion a voluptuous widow, Allen by name, living at "Allen's Prairie," was about to marry as she became tired of living alone. Bronson being notified, went the 20 miles and married them, but, alas! one Squire Jones, of Jonesville, hear-

ing of the marriage after dark, mounted his Indian pony and rode ten miles to Mrs. Allen's cabin. She had retired with her new made husband. Jones rapped, and Bronson, sitting by the fire drinking hot punch, bade him come in. Jones entered and excitedly said: "Bronson, what have you been about? you are out of your jurisdiction, this is Lenawee county. I am the magistrate. Mrs. Allen is not legally married, and I will contest it."

Mrs. Allen hearing this, came into the bar-room clad in the habiliments for sleep, and standing before the contending magistrates, with elevated hands, she exclaimed: "Oh, dear! Squire Jones, what shall I do? My reputation is ruined. Can it be possible that I ain't properly married?"

Jones replied, "Never mind Mrs. Allen, just stand up here and I will, for \$10, marry you over again and make it all right." By this time her wedded lord made his appearance, and they did stand up, received the words pronouncing them man and wife from Squire Jones, who pocketed his \$10, took something warming, and returned satisfied. No bills for divorce are on file in this case.

Bronson Township contains a population of 1280. Bronson village 840.

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**BRONSON BUSINESS LIST.****A**

Abbott, H. C., proprietor Exchange Hotel, opp. Depot.

Albertson, C. W., deputy P. M., Chicago St.

**B**

BURNS, W., Physician and Surgeon, office cor. Matteson and Fremont streets, south side.

Barnard, L. E., Physician and Surgeon, Chicago street east, north side.  
Barnes & Teller, blacksmiths, Matteson street, north Chicago.  
BABCOCK, T. M. & CO., publs. Bronson *Herald*, Chi. St., s. side.  
Besmar, Ira, Bellard Hall, Chi. street, south side.  
Babcock, C. G., proprietor Livery Stable, Matteson street, south Chi.  
Bennett, S. E., meat market, Matteson, south Chi.  
BENHAM, F. A., physician and surgeon, office and residence east  
Chicago, south side.  
BENTON, E. W., cooperage, north Matteson.

**C**

CLARK, MILO, dealer in hardware, drugs, etc., Chicago, south side.  
(see advt.)  
Clark, L. D., dealer in dry goods, Chicago, south side.  
COMPTON, W. H., lawyer, over L. A. Rose & Co., Chi. south side.  
(see advt.)  
Cummings, C. A., physician and surgeon, Rose Hotel.  
Compton, R., lawyer, over L. D. Clark's, Chicago, south side.

**D**

DUBENDORFF, E., groceries and crockery, Chi., s. side. (see advt.)  
Diver, Mrs., milliner and dressmaker, Ch., north side.  
DRIGGS & BRO., grocers, Chicago, south side. (see card.)  
Duffee, A. J., dentist, over Key's store, Chicago.

**E**

Elliott, M. V., blacksmith, Matteson, north Chicago.  
Earl, W. W., billiard hall, Matteson, north Chicago.  
EATON, E., dealer in furniture, etc., Chi. north side. (see advt.)

**F**

FULLER, A. N., book store and news depot, Chi. n side. (see card.)  
FORD, L. D., physician and surgeon, office and residence Buchanan.  
(see advt.)  
FELLOWS, D. S., tailor, Chi. north side.

**G**

Gilson, W. H., boot and shoe dealer, Chi.  
GILHAM, G. F., attorney at law, office over Power's store.

**H**

Hull, J. D., jeweler, Chicago, north side.  
Henderson, Mrs. R. A., dealer in millinery, Chi. south side.  
Higgins, J. W., grocer, Chi. north side.

**K**

KEYES, C. J., dealer in dry goods etc., cor. Chi. and Matteson.  
 Knapp, F. & Son, dealers in boots and shoes, Chi. north side.

**L**

LAMOREUX, W., justice of the peace, Chi. north side.

**M**

Marr, W. H., saloon and bakery, Matteson, n. of Chi.  
 Morrill, M., (with L. A. Rose, general store) Chi. south side.  
 Moase & Trigg, druggists and grocers, Chi. south side.

**N**

NICHOLS, O. B. & CO., manufacturers of lumber and headings, near depot. (see advt.)

Norton, S. R., photographer, Matteson, south Chi.

**O**

O'Donnell, A., dealer in dry goods etc., cor. Chi. and Matteson.

**P**

POWERS, C. & H., dealer in dry goods, clothing, boots and shoes, etc., Chi. north side. (see card.)

**R**

Rose, L. A., general store, Chi. south side.

Reynolds, T. A., bakery, Chi. south side.

**S**

Smith & Kean, grocer, Chi. north side.

SANDERS, L., eclectic physician, Chi. north side. (see advt.)

Shepard, Jason, proprietor flouring mill, east Chi.

SMITH, S. O., proprietor Rose Hotel, cor. Chi. and Matteson.

**T**

Trickey, Arthur, barber and hair dresser, Chi. south side.

**V**

VAN EVERY, M., machine shop, east Chi.

VAN EVERY, C. M., dealer in agricultural implements, east Chi.

**W**

Warne, G. H., harness dealer, cor. Chi. and Matteson.

Wheat, Joe, proprietor Bronson House, opp. depot.

## BRONSON VILLAGE.

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### A

Abbott, H. H., proprietor Exchange Hotel, Railroad, opp. depot.  
Albertson, C. W., deputy P. M., Carey.  
Anderson, A. J., farmer, Ft. Wayne road.  
ANDERSON, WILLIAM, insurance agent, Washington.  
Adams, George Q., manufacturer of fork handles, Bronson House.

### B

Barnard, L. E., physician, Chi.  
Bennett, S. E., meat market, Corey.  
Babcock, C. G., proprietor livery stable, west Chi.  
BABCOCK, T. M., publisher "Bronson *Herald*," Buchanan.  
BABCOCK, C. C., publisher "Bronson *Herald*," Buchanan.  
Besmar, Ira, billiard hall, Chi.  
Barnes, W. S., blacksmith, Corey.  
Bartlett, Alonzo, carpenter, Chi.  
BENHAM, F. A., physician and surgeon, east Chi.  
BENHAM, FRANK A., medical student, east Chi.  
Bonney, John R., clergyman.  
Bennett, E. G., miscellaneous, east Chi.  
Bowker, Henry C., constable, north Matteson.  
Brewer, William H., farming, bds. Rose hotel.  
Byrns, W., physician, res. and office cor. Matteson and Fremont.  
Bigford, Samuel, mason, Buchanan.  
Brower, John, miller, Winona.  
Benton, E. W., cooper, Fremont.  
Barnham, A., works at depot, Washington.  
Bartlett, J., cabinet maker, Buchanan.  
Birch, J., laborer, Buchanan.  
Bennett, Mrs., widow, Buchanan.  
Bennett, W., farmer.

### C

Clark, L. D., merchant, Matteson.  
Clark, Milo, merchant, Matteson  
Cornell, James, carpenter, Chicago.

Crowel, Chester, mason, east Chicago.  
Compton, R., lawyer, Chicago.  
Carpenter, L., mason, Winona.  
Cutting, Philander, carpenter.  
Clouse, George, carpenter, Railroad.  
Corey, L., com. merchant, Matteson.  
Carney, John, proprietor saw-mill, Railroad.  
Cummings, C. A., physician, Rose Hotel.  
Compton, W. H., attorney at law, east Chicago.  
Crawford, Moses, carpenter, Matteson  
Cunningham, James, railroad laborer, Railroad.  
Cunningham, Mrs., widow, Railroad.  
Colman, Michael, railroad laborer, Railroad.  
Clark, Nelson, mason, Washington.  
Clark, Levi, teamster, Buchanan.  
Cole, W. M., drayman, Winona.  
Corby, John M., shoemaker.

**D**

Duffee, A. J., dentist, bds. at Rose Hotel.  
Dubendorff, E., grocer, Matteson.  
Dubendorff, H., clerk, Matteson.  
Divers, Susie A., milliner, Chicago.  
Driggs, E. J., grocer, cor. Washington and Fremont.  
Driggs, J. D., grocer, Buchanan.  
Dunn, Wesley, farmer, Chicago.  
DAVIS, JAMES H., MASON, Matteson.  
Daley, Mrs., north of Railroad.  
Drake, Mrs., north of Railroad.  
Drake, Daniel T., laborer, bds. Bronson House.  
Dunham, George, carpenter, Railroad.  
Dennis, Spellman, constable.

**E**

Earl, J. E., farming, Matteson.  
Elliott, W. V., blacksmith, Matteson.  
Eaton, E., furniture dealer, Walker.  
Earl, W. W., billiard hall.  
Ellis, N. G., general agent for mower and reaper, Fremont,  
Ellis, G. W., general agent for mower and reaper, Fremont.  
Fellows, William, salesman, Walker.  
Ferrill, Abel, peddler.  
Fuller, A. N., book and news dealer, Chicago.

**F**

Field, Mrs. E., Chicago.  
 Fellows, D. S., tailor, Walker.  
 Fulkerson, Mrs. M., Walker.  
 Falls, Mrs., Buchanan.  
 Ford, Dr. L. D., eclectic physician, Buchanan. (see advt.)  
 Filo, Elisha, butcher, Winona.  
 Fowler, H., farmer, Fremont.  
 Fulkerson, Albert, laborer, Bronson House.

**G**

Gilson, W. H., boot and shoe dealer, Matteson.  
 Gee, Monroe, mason, east Chicago.  
 GAY, REV. E. O., clergyman, east Chicago.  
 Gilham, G. F., lawyer, east Chicago.  
 Gilson, Xenophon, carpenter, Corey.  
 Gibbins, D., works in mill, Railroad.  
 Gibbins, A., carpenter, Railroad.  
 Gibbins, John, carpenter, Railroad.  
 Green, John, farmer, Fremont.  
 Goodrich, Mrs. C., widow, Winona.  
 Goodrich, H., livery, Buchanan.  
 George, Rev. T. T., clergyman.

**H**

Higgins, J. W., grocer, Chicago.  
 Hull, I. D., jeweler, Winona. (see advt.)  
 Henderson, Mrs. R. A., milliner, Chicago.  
 Horton, A. J., carpenter, west Chicago.  
 Holbrook, D., bakery, south Matteson.  
 Hammer, John, night watch, Walker.  
 Hibbard, L. J., station agent, north Matteson.  
 Howard, William C., machinist, north Matteson.  
 Henderson, G. W., telegraph operator, Matteson.  
 Hanks, George W., wagon maker, Matteson.  
 Hicks, J. B., carpenter.  
 Horton, William C., carpenter, Chicago.  
 Hoag, Henry, laborer, north Matteson.  
 Hopkins, N., works in mill, north Railroad.  
 Howland, John, railroad laborer, north Matteson.  
 Hayes, John, section boss, Railroad.  
 Hyzer, Isaac, laborer, east of Lincoln.  
 Hastings, W. E., proprietor saw mill, Buchanan.

**J**

Johnson, William, works in tannery.  
 Jones, Loren, carpenter, east Chicago.  
 Jump, Delos, jeweler, Corey.  
 Jump, Benjamin, farmer, Corey.  
 Jump, Charles, farmer, Corey.  
 Jones, Nicholas, farmer, Corey.

**K**

Keyes, C. J., merchant, Chicago.  
 Knapp, F., dealer in boots and shoes, Buchanan.  
 Knapp, Wells, dealer in boots and shoes, Buchanan.  
 Kean, J. R., grocer, cor. Fremont and Winona.  
 King, William, laborer, Bronson House.  
 Keyes, James K. P., insurance agent.  
 Keyes, Samuel, retired, Corey.  
 Keeslar, J. B., principal union school, bds. Matteson.

**L**

LAMOREUX, WILLIAM, justice, Buchanan.  
 Leet, Lucius, miller, Corey.  
 Lloyd, John, works in mill, north Railroad.

**M**

Marr, William H., baker, Matteson.  
 Morrill, M., P. M. and merchant, Chicago.  
 Moase, Charles, druggist, Matteson.  
 Morrow, James S., miller, Washington.  
 Miner, Austin, cooper, Chicago.  
 McMillen, laborer, Walker.  
 Morrison, William, depot baggage master, cor. Walker and Railroad.  
 Millard, George, farmer, Matteson.  
 Marshall, Samuel, laborer, Rose Hotel.  
 Merriss, John, cooper, north Matteson.  
 Meloy, John, peddler, north Matteson.  
 Masters, George, works in Exchange Hotel, near depot.  
 Monroe, D., jr., farmer, Washington.  
 Meloy, William, railroad laborer, Winona  
 Mehan, Owen, peddler, Lincoln.  
 Moffitt, A. M., painter, Lincoln.  
 Monroe, D., sen., farmer, Buchanan.

**N**

NICHOLS, O. B., of O. B. Nichols & Co., saw mill, Buchanan.

Nichols, R., farmer, east Chi.  
 Nott, N. A., laborer, Lincoln.  
 Nott, Henry, carpenter, Lincoln.

**O**

O'Donnell, A., merchant, Matteson.

**P**

Pixley, Augustus, clerk dry goods.  
 POWERS, CHARLES, GENERAL MERCHANT, Matteson.  
 POWERS, H., GENERAL MERCHANT, Chicago.  
 Patterson, John, carpenter, east Chicago.  
 Peller, Jacob, milkman, Ft. Wayne.  
 Porter, Charles, farmer, east Chicago.  
 Palmer, Mrs., east Chicago.  
 Pixley, I. F., carpenter, Railroad.  
 Pixley, A., clerk, Chicago.  
 Powers, B. H., insurance agent, Matteson.  
 Page, Henry, carpenter, Matteson.  
 Paul, William G., farmer, north Matteson.  
 Perry, Robert, painter, Washington.  
 Pixley, E., laborer, Winona.  
 Potter, Peter, drayman, Buchañan.  
 Powers, E., shoemaker, Rose Hotel.  
 Philo, E. R., produce dealer.

**R**

Rose, L. A., merchant, Matteson.  
 Reynolds, T. A., baker, Matteson.  
 Robinson, Luther, agent for lightning rods, Chicago.  
 Robinson, George, peddler, Chicago.  
 Reynolds, Alfred, farming.  
 Ralph, Benjamin, teamster, east Chicago.  
 Roberts, Mrs. L., east Chicago.  
 Roberts, J., carpenter, Corey.  
 Roberts, R., carpenter, Corey.  
 Relyea, farming, Rose Hotel.  
 Retter, James, ditcher, Rose Hotel.  
 Rider, J., laborer, Winona.  
 Robb, W. T., traveling agent, Lincoln.  
 Root, Reuben, blacksmith, Exchange Hotel.

**S**

SMITH, S. O., proprietor Rose Hotel, cor. Chi. and Matteson.

SANDERS, L., eclectic physician, east Chicago.  
 Smith, A. T., grocer, cor. Chi. and Winona.  
 Shepard, J., proprietor flouring mill, Chicago.  
 Shepard, A. M., engineer, Winona.  
 SUTTERLIN, J., cabinet maker, east Chicago.  
 Safford, Mrs., east Chicago.  
 Stailey, Jacob, foreman railroad, Matteson.  
 Scott, Henry, farming, Matteson.  
 Stewart, John, laborer, Railroad.  
 Schreffler, R., railroad laborer, north of Railroad.  
 Smith, Joel, blacksmith, Railroad.  
 Smith, Elijah, cooper, Washington.  
 Sherwin, Mrs. E., widow, Winona.

**T**

Tuttle, Samuel, harness maker, Rose Hotel.  
 Trigg, A. J., druggist, Corey.  
 Trickey, Arthur, barber, south Matteson.  
 Teller, W. H., blacksmith, Corey.  
 THURSTIN, JAMES, farmer, Matteson.  
 Thompson, S. A., laborer, north of Railroad.  
 Turner, Allen, carpenter, Matteson.  
 Thayer, John, railroad laborer, Winona.  
 Trask, Henry, butcher, north Matteson.  
 Trayer, Samuel, drayman, Washington.  
 Trask, George, laborer, Buchanan.

**V**

VanEvery, C. M., foundry and machine shop, Chicago.  
 VanFleet, A. S., clerk dry goods, Corey.  
 Vesey, James M., mason north Matteson.

**W**

Wheat, Joe, proprietor Bronson House, opp. depot.  
 Warne, G. H., harness maker, Winona.  
 Wood, Smith, justice, Chicago.  
 Willey, J. C., farmer, east Chicago.  
 Williams, H. B., proprietor shingle factory, Chicago.  
 Whitaker, D. H., proprietor shingle factory, Chicago.  
 Wagner, William, farmer, west Chicago.  
 WARD, LUMAN, wagon maker, Walker. (see advt.)  
 Welsey, Samuel, carpenter, Walker.

Welch, Martin, railroader, north of Railroad.  
Wilsey, G. W., teamster, north of Railroad.  
Ward, D. L., painter, north of Railroad.  
Wells, Mrs., widow, north Matteson.  
Wells, Benjamin, laborer, north Matteson.  
Williams, Simon Z., painter, Winona.  
Welch, Patrick, peddler, Winona.  
Winegar, T. P., carpenter, Fremont.  
Winegar, Thomas, musician, Fremont.  
WAITE, F. A., book agent, cor, Fremont and Buchanan.  
Winans, T. R., joiner, Buchanan.  
Whitman, B. H., clergyman.  
Wagner, George, farming, west Chicago.

## BRONSON TOWNSHIP.

#### TOWNSHIP OFFICERS:

SUPERVISOR—C. G. BABCOCK.  
CLERK—A. J. TRIGG.  
TREASURER—C. J. KEYES.  
JUSTICES—JONATHAN HOLMES,  
WILLIAM LAMREAU, X  
SMITH WOOD,  
HORACE WILLIAMS.

A

Anderson, A. J., farmer.	Anderson, Eli, farming.
Allen, Orville, farmer.	Armstrong, Stephen, basket maker.
Akers, John, farmer.	ADAMS, WALES, farmer, P. O.
Allman, A. E., farming.	Burr Oak.
Anderson, H. A., farmer.	

B

Berry, T. C., farmer, P. O. Burr Oak. Brown, George, works in saw mill. Beardsley, Ezra, farming.

- Berry, George, farmer.  
 Bartlett, Samuel E., farming.  
 Burkett, George J., carpenter.  
 Bassett, George, farmer.  
 Blosser, Nicholas, farmer.  
 Brooks, Charlotte, housekeeping.  
 Bunn, James, farming.  
 Blanchard, Albert, farmer.  
 Brooks, Henry, farmer.  
 Bekoski, M., farming.  
 Blass, Michael, farmer.  
 Blass, Jacob, farming.  
 Blass, John L., farming.  
 Bowman, V., farmer.  
 Bacar, Joseph, laborer.  
 Burch, B., farmer.  
 Bradley, Donald, farming.  
 Brown, H. N., farmer.  
 Buys, Lucinda, housekeeping.  
 Baldwin, Chester, farming.  
 Baldwin, Newton, farming.  
 Bowman, Geo., works in saw mill.  
 Buys, Daniel D., farmer.  
 Bowman, Wm., works in saw mill.  
 Bessy, John W., farming.  
 Bark, James, farmer, P. O. Burr Oak.  
 Brayman, Thomas, works on railroad. P. O. Burr Oak.  
 Bartholomew, Luther, works in saw mill.  
 Brooks, William, farmer, P. O. Burr Oak.  
 Burch, B., farming.  
 Baker, J., carpenter.  
 Brower, George W., farmer.

**C**

- Cyphers, Jared, farming.  
 Cornell, M. G., farmer.  
 Calkins, R., farmer.  
 Chandler, O. E., farming.  
 Canfield, C. F., farmer.  
 Colwell, Clarinda, housekeeper.  
 Cochensparger, Philip, farmer.  
 Cochensparger, John, blacksmith.  
 Clay, Benjamin, farming.  
 Carpenter, George, farmer.  
 Chester, J. H., farmer.  
 Calhoun, Levi, farmer.  
 Clouse, Daniel, farmer.  
 Crawford, Levi, farming.  
 Collins, Samuel H., farming.  
 Conard, John, retired farmer.  
 Cushing, Loomis, farming.  
 Carrol, Michael, farmer.  
 Carter, Daniel H., farming.  
 Clipfell, Jacob, prop. saw mill.  
 Crapt, William, saw mill laborer.

**D**

- Driggs, Mrs. F. A., housekeeping.  
 Dusenberry, Mrs. L., housekeep-  
     ing.  
 Dreareski, A., laborer.  
 Doijas, Michael, laborer.  
 Dorr, Richard, farmer.  
 Dorn, Bridgett, housekeeping.  
 Derthicks, Henry, cooper, P. O.  
     Burr Oak.  
 Dunn, Michael, farming.  
 Dubendorf, John, farming.

**E**

- Ellis, George, mason.  
 Earl, Lewis, farmer.  
 Eggleston, Henry M., farmer.  
 Eggleston, Lyman F., farming.

Ellison, Ross, ditcher.  
 Eggleston, Charles M., farmer.  
 Eggleston, Hiram, farmer.

Eggleston, Henry, farming.  
 Eberhard, Daniel, farmer.  
 Eberhard, William, laborer.

**F**

Fox, J. E., farmer.  
 Fuller, M., farming.  
 Fuller, C. B., farmer.  
 Fisk, Alonzo, farming.  
 Filkins, Jerome, farmer.  
 Fry, Wendall, farmer, P. O. Burr  
     Oak.  
 Ferguson, George, farming.  
 Fry, David, farmer, P. O. Burr  
     Oak.

Faulks, Wm., farmer, P. O. Burr  
     Oak.  
 Faulks, William H., farmer, P. O.  
     Burr Oak.  
 Fry, Emanuel, farmer, P. O. Burr  
     Oak.  
 Fitzgerald, William, farmer, P. O.  
     Coldwater.  
 Friesner, A. S., farmer.

**G**

Gates, G. D., farmer.  
 Garber, David, farmer.  
 Green, James H., farmer.  
 Gunthorpe, George, farmer, P.  
     O. Burr Oak.

Gregg, James H., farmer.  
 Gregg, Charles, farmer.  
 Gregg, John A., works in saw mill.  
 Gregg, Delos, farming.

**H**

Harrington, P. M., farming.  
 Hine, J. H., farmer.  
 Harris, H. N., farmer.  
 Hart, Benjamin F., farmer.  
 Hoyle, Seymour, farmer, P. O.  
     Burr Oak.  
 Hart, William H., farmer.  
 Himebaugh, Aaron, farmer, P.  
     O. Burr Oak.  
 Himebaugh, Coin, farmer, P. O.  
     Burr Oak.  
 Himebaugh, Mary, housekeep-  
     ing, P. O. Burr Oak.  
 Himebaugh, Daniel, farmer, P.  
     O. Burr Oak.  
 Himebaugh, Daniel E., farmer,  
     P. O. Burr Oak.  
 Holbrook, E., farmer.

Haack, E., laborer.  
 Harkar, Samuel, laborer.  
 Hopkins, Sarah, housekeeping.  
 Hopkins, John, works in saw mill.  
 Hamlin, E. G., peddler.  
 Hamlin, S., peddler.  
 Holbrook, S., farmer.  
 Holbrook, Isaac, retired farmer.  
 Hackett, Seth, retired farmer.  
 Hackett, Jane, housekeeping.  
 Husted, Henry, farmer.  
 Holmes, Jonathan, farmer.  
 Holmes, C. G., farmer.  
 Holmes, Mrs. N. A., housekeeping.  
 Holmes, John T., farmer.  
 Hackett, A., farming.  
 Hill, Austin, works in saw mill. P.  
     O. Burr Oak.

Heshak, Frank, laborer.	Hopkins, Amos, farmer.
Hartwell, Alfred, peddler.	Hopkins, Orlo, in stave factory.
Hennegan, Robert, farming.	Hamilton, C. A., farmer.
Haight, Stephen, farmer.	Hamilton, Ned H., commer. ag't.
Haight, Milo, farming.	Haight, Solomon, farmer.

**J**

Johnson, B., farming.	Johnson, James, railroad laborer.
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**K**

Kesler, Daniel, farmer.	Kosinski, Frank, laborer.
Keller, John, farming, P. O.	Kozmerzak, Jacob, laborer.
Burr Oak.	Kock, Peter, farmer.
Kehoe, Patrick, farmer.	Kock, John, farming.
Kehoe, John, farmer.	Kavanaugh, Francis, farming.
Kehoe, Frank, farming.	Kolasa, Andrew, laborer.
Krapp, John, shoemaker.	Kolasa, Joseph, laborer.
Kline, Jacob, farmer, P. O. Burr	Kolasa, Stephen; laborer.
Oak.	Kline, Aaron, farmer.
Keullur, Henry, laborer.	Kock, S., works in saw mill.
Kanark, Jacob, laborer.	

**L**

Lilly, Alfred, farmer.	Lewis, L. W., farmer.
Luddres, D., farmer, P. O. Burr	Lindley, E., farmer.
Oak.	Ladue, H. A., farmer.
Lynch, George, farmer.	Latta, Frank, works in saw mill.
Lynch, Thomas, farming.	Latta, David F., farmer.
Losenski, James, laborer.	Latta, Moses, clock repairing.
Lewis, Joseph, farmer.	Latta, Aaron, farming.
Lilly, W. S., farmer.	

**M**

Mann, David, painter.	Murphy, John A., farmer, P. O.
Mapes, George L., farming.	Coldwater.
Morrell, J. F., farmer.	Malava, Stephen, laborer.
Miller, A. T., farmer.	Malava, John, laborer.
Milliman, Asa, farmer, P. O.	Monroe, Seth, farmer.
Burr Oak.	More, John D., farmer.
Milliman, Jerome, farmer, P. O.	McKinney, Barney, farming.
Burr Oak.	Munson, Harvey, farmer.
Mathews, Timothy, farming, P.	Masted, Mary, housekeeping.
O. Burr Oak.	Masted, William, farmer.

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| Miller, Minard, farming, P. O.<br>Burr Oak.  | More, John, farmer.<br>Malory, William, farming.                      |
| Miller, Stephen, farming, P. O.<br>Burr Oak. | Marsh, Clark, saw mill laborer.<br>McDonald, James, saw mill laborer. |
| Milliman, Palmer, farmer, P. O.<br>Burr Oak. | Malory, Ransom, farming.<br>Malory, Edmond, farming.                  |

N

- Noyeroski, Thomas, laborer.      Noyeroski, V., laborer.

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- Ochinski, Joseph, laborer. Osborn, James, farmer.

P

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| Putnam, Wiley, stone mason.  | Philips, John G., farming.    |
| Purdy, Charles E., farmer.   | Prain, Simeon, laborer.       |
| Philipps, A. F., teamster.   | Pulman, J. E., farmer.        |
| Palmer, O. A., farming.      | Perry, Joseph, farmer.        |
| Piatt, William, farmer.      | Putnam, Tunis, farming, P. O. |
| Pinney, Ansel, farmer.       | Burr Oak.                     |
| Pinney, Isaac, farmer.       | Post, Dudley, farming.        |
| Pumbraugh, Jacob, farmer, P. | Post, Gridley, farming.       |
| O. Burr Oak.                 |                               |

Q

- Quear, William, farmer.                    Quear, Peter, farmer.  
Quayle, J. W., farming.

R

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| Russell, J. L., works in saw mill.          | Ruggles, James, farmer.                                 |
| Reid, Stephen, farmer.                      | Ruggles, Jas. F., dry goods clerk.                      |
| Russell, Nelson, farmer, P. O.<br>Burr Oak. | Robleski, Jacob, farming.<br>Roberts, R. M., carpenter. |
| Russell, A. N., farmer, P. O.<br>Burr Oak.  | Rogusta, Joseph, farming.<br>Rice, Otis, farmer.        |

10

- Shaw, Alson, farming.  
Silverthorn, A. A., farmer, P. O.  
    Burr Oak.  
Shaw, A. M., farmer, P. O. Burr  
    Oak.  
Saunders, R., farming.  
Scales, Frank, farming.  
Sanford, Lyman, farming.  
Sheffield, George S., farmer.  
Sheffield, J. G., farmer.

- Shook, David, farmer, P. O. Shippy, Joseph, farmer.  
     Burr Oak. Stockwell, J. H., farmer.
- Shook, Eli, farming, P. O. Burr Slisher, John, farmer.  
     Oak. Swift, E. W., farmer.
- Shook, William, farming, P. O. Strachly, David, farmer.  
     Burr Oak. Smith, Michael, farmer, P. O. Burr  
     Oak.
- Shook, Benjamin, farming, P. O. Sayer, George, farmer.  
     Burr Oak. Sayer, John, farmer.
- Shook, Samuel, farmer, P. O. Scott, Henry, farming.  
     Burr Oak. Smolka, Lawrence, farmer.
- Sindlinger, John, farmer, P. O. Shimshuski, George, farmer.  
     Burr Oak.
- Shane, Esther, housekeeping, P. Smith, William, farmer.  
     O. Burr Oak. Shepard, H. T., farmer.
- Sayer, Zedekiah, farmer. Smith, Joseph, farmer.
- Sanborn, Henry, laborer. Snyder, Charles B., farmer.
- Searles, C. C., farmer. Smith, John, farmer.
- Shaw, Erastus, farming, P. O. Smith, Levi, farmer.  
     Burr Oak. Shaffmaster, C., farmer.
- Stephens, C. L., farming, P. O. Snyder, A. G., farmer.  
     Burr Oak.

**T**

- Thurston, Robert, farmer. Trickey, Levi, farmer.  
 Tice, Daniel F., farmer. Thurston, Soloman, farmer.  
 Thayer, Reuben, farming. Teft, George W., farming, P. O.  
 Taggart, David, farmer.      Burr Oak.  
 Taggart, Benjamin P., farming. Taggart, John, farmer.  
 Taggart, George D., farming. Teller, Stephen, blacksmith.  
 Taggart, Henry, farming. Teller, Hudson, farming.

**V**

Voet, Michael, laborer.

**W**

- Wilson, William, farming. Whitaker, Benj., works in tannery.  
 Walker, William, J., farmer. Williams, A. G., works in saw mill.  
 Worden, George C., farming. Wheeler, R. M., farmer, P. O.  
 Workman, Henry, farming.      Burr Oak.  
 Workman, Henry, farmer, P. O. Whitman, Wm. L., farmer, P. O.  
     Burr Oak.      Burr Oak.  
 Worden, E., farming. Whitman, John H., farming.

Whitaker, Mahala, housekeeping. Whitman, Jacob, works in stave  
Whitaker, Wm. F., farming. factory.  
Walls, Henry, laborer.

**X**

Young, S. E., farming. Yesh, Peter, farmer.

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## NOBLE TOWNSHIP.

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NOBLE is bounded north by Bronson, east by Gilead, south by the State of Indiana, and west by St. Joseph county, being situated in the southwest corner of Branch county.

Noble was first settled by Mr. Shane, in 1836, and in 1837 by John Curtis and others. It is watered by Prairie and Pigeon Rivers, passing through some good farming lands. It contains what has long been known as the Dutch settlement, for the reason that most of the settlers in that portion of the town came from Pennsylvania. They are an industrious people, having their farms in a good state of cultivation and raise large crops of wheat. Mr. Curtis also has a fine farm and is an active practical farmer.

Noble contains several good school houses, and much interest is manifested in the education of the rising generation.

Noble has a population of 758.

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### TOWNSHIP OFFICERS.

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JUSTICES—MOSES E. BOWDISH,

JACOB TRAYER,

JAMES S. WALKER.

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**A**

Anglemyre, David, farmer.  
Andrews, Geo., farmer.

Anglemyer, Samuel, carpenter.

**B**

- Bailey, Elisha, farmer.  
 Blakeslee, Charles, farmer.  
 Bushnell, E. B., farmer.  
 Bushnell, Wm., painter.  
 Butts, Harvey, farming.  
 Bushnell, S. G., retired.  
 Burgess, Lewis, farmer.  
 Bogardus, Henry, farmer.  
 Bowman, John C., farming.  
 Berry, Abraham, farmer.  
 Blosser, Abraham, farming.  
 Berry, C. D., farmer.  
 Blacksten, James, farmer.  
 Bochmer, Aug., works in saw mill.
- Bowdish, Alphonzo, carpenter.  
 Boyd, Edward, farmer.  
 Bowdish, Moses S., farmer.  
 Bowdish, L. N., farmer.  
 Bowdish, Sylvanus, farmer.  
 Bowdish, James W., farming.  
 Barridge, Edmond, farmer.  
 Burnsides, Wm., farming.  
 Boyer, Margaret, housekeeping.  
 Blanchard, David, farmer.  
 Brooks, Isaac H., farmer.  
 Brooks, Elizabeth, housekeeping.  
 Blosser, I., farmer, P. O. Bronson.  
 Bender, G., farmer, P. O. Bronson.

**C**

- Calhoun, Patience, housekeeping.  
 Calhoun, Byron, farmer.  
 Calhoun, Merritt, farmer.  
 Cattell, William, farming.  
 Curtis, John, farmer.  
 Cleveland, Alburtus, farming.  
 Coon, Christopher, carpenter.
- Cummings, Edwin, farmer.  
 Cronsore, Lovina, housekeeping.  
 Cuyler, Charles, farming.  
 Chesley, Thomas, farmer.  
 Chase, Christina, housekeeping.  
 Chase, Chauncy.

**D**

- Dupue, Henry, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.
- Davis, Jacob, farmer.

**E**

- Eckright, Nancy, housekeeping. Echner, Abraham, farmer.

**F**

- Friend, Jefferson L., farmer, post office Orland, Ind.
- Fry, Peter, farmer.
- Fuller, John, farmer.
- Fink, Levi, farmer.
- Flanders, C. H., farmer.
- Fry, John, farmer.
- French, George, farmer.
- Fry, John, Jr., farming.

**G**

- Gardner, Elisha T., farmer.
- Gardner, James M., farming.
- Greiner, Jacob, blacksmith.
- Gross, William, farming.

Gardner, Norman, farming.  
 Good, Isaac, farmer.  
 Gibson, Stewart, farmer.  
 George, John, farmer.  
 Good, John, farmer.

Gross, James H., farming.  
 George, Andrew, farming.  
 George, James, farming.  
 Grove, Francis, farmer.  
 Grove, Wilson, farmer.

**H**

Houston, James W., farming.  
 Holmes, William, farming.  
 Hawley, Cyrus, farmer.  
 Henderson, Mary, housekeeping.  
 Hartwell, Charles W., carpenter.  
 Hadley, Thomas, carpenter.  
 Harley, Patrick, farmer.  
 Hogoboom, C. T., farmer.

Hamebauch, Daniel, farmer.  
 Hamebauch, Emanuel, farmer.  
 Hoyt, Justus, farmer.  
 Hulderman, Abram A., farmer.  
 Heltzer, Jesse, farmer.  
 Heltzer, Adam, farming.  
 Harts, D. A., farming.

**I**

Imhoff, Jacob, farmer.

**J**

Jones, Levi, farming.  
 Jenkins, William, farmer.

Jones, Samuel, farmer.  
 Jeffrey, Horace, farmer.

**K**

Kelso, John, farmer, post office  
     Orland, Ind.  
 Kelso, Thos., farming, post office  
     Orland, Ind.  
 Kelso, J. T., farming, post office  
     Orland, Ind.  
 Keller, Jacob, farmer.

Kelso, W. H., farming, post office  
     Orland, Ind.  
 Keesler, John B., farmer, post office  
     Bronson.  
 Knight, Isaac, farmer.  
 Keller, Abraham, farming.  
 Keller, Benjamin F., farming.

**L**

Lemon, Jane, housekeeping.  
 Lemon, George T., farming.  
 Long, Simeon, farmer.  
 Lane, John H., farmer.  
 Lane, Frank H., farmer.  
 Lilly, Daniel, farmer.

Leworthy, William, farming.  
 Lupold, John, farmer.  
 Leddon, Elias, farming.  
 Lilley, Jacob, farmer.  
 Link, David, farmer.  
 Link, Thomas, farming.

**M**

Murry, Jerome, farmer.  
 Myers, George, farming.

Miller, James, farmer.  
 Mallow, Peter, farmer.

Morrill, Ichabod, farmer.	Mallow, William, farmer.
Manwarren, David, farmer.	Myers, Jesse, farmer.
Milliman, Seth, farmer.	Mock, George, farmer.
McKeever, M., farmer.	Mock, John, farming.
Mathews, John, cooper.	Milliman, Wesley, farming.
Myers, David, farming.	Morgan, Lafayette, farming.
Mayer, John, farming.	

**O**

Ovenhouse, James, carpenter.

**P**

Purdy, Oliver, farmer.

**Q**

Quick, E. W., farmer.

**R**

Roe, Samuel, farming.	Ridenour, Amasy, farmer.
Rathbun, Peter, farmer.	Royer, Benjamin, farmer.
Rice, Alvah, farming.	Robinson, John A., farming.
Robinson, George P., farmer.	Robinson, Henry, farming.
Rumsey, John, farmer.	

**S**

Standiford, Joshua, farming.	Sharp, Dorr, carpenter.
Standiford, A., works in saw mill.	Sharp, Corodon, farmer.
Standiford, V.T., works in saw mill.	Stephens, Aaron, farming.
Smith, E. W., farmer.	Smith, Walter W., farmer.
Smith, C. R., farmer.	Snook, Jesse, farmer.
Summers, Peter, farmer.	Snook, Joseph, farming,
Summers, Jacob, retired.	Snook, Rufus, farmer.
Stewart, Samuel, farmer.	Swain, J., farmer, P. O. Coldwater.
Stewart, Robert, farming.	Stephens, Moses, basket maker.
Stewart, Gibson, farmer.	Swartz, William, farmer, post office
Snyder, John, farmer.	Bronson.
Shinneman, Christopher, farmer.	Swain, Jacob, farming.
Sharp, Sheldon, farmer.	Smith, John C., farming.

**T**

Taylor, Oscar, farming.	Trayer, Jacob, farmer.
Teller, John, farmer.	Trayer, George, farming.

**U**

Utter, Isaac, farming.

**W**

Warren, Adam, farmer.	Warner, John A., farming.
Whipple, Miles N., farmer, post office Orland, Ind.	Winters, Thomas, stone mason.
Whipple, Caleb A., farmer, post office Orland, Ind.	Wheeler, Rufus C., carpenter.
Whipple, Roman, farmer, post office Orland, Ind.	Weaver, William H., farmer.
Welch, Edgar A., farming.	Ward, E. A., farmer.
Walker, James I., farmer.	Weber, Daniel J., farming.
	West, James B., farmer.
	Willer, William S., farmer.

**Z**

Zinn, Peter, farming.

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## BRANCH COUNTY WAR RECORD.

BY CAPT. G. H. TURNER.

THE echoes of Sumpter's guns had hardly died away, before the loyal North, roused to full appreciation of the national insult, sent forth her hardy sons to maintain the honor of her flag, and mete out justice to her haughty foes. Where all sprang to arms so simultaneously, welcoming the horrors of war and position of danger at the front, rather than inglorious and disgraceful ease at home, it is hard to individualize or distinguish those worthy actions which made a hero of every citizen soldier of the Republic. The State of Michigan was second to none in the instant arming of her people, and the steady blaze of patriotism that burned as the pure, steady and strong light of Freedom's beacon through the gloom of four years of war. Branch County sent Company "C" of the First Michigan Infantry, under the noble Butterworth, as her first offering, and on the disastrous field of Bull Run foreshadowed, in their baptism of fire and blood, how fully and completely the government could depend upon Michigan men. The First Battery of Michigan Artillery, (Captain, afterward General, C. O. Loomis,) was rendezvoused at Coldwater, recruited almost exclusively from men in Branch County, and the following was its roster of officers: Capt. C. O. Loomis, Lieuts. G. W. Van Pelt, F. E. Hale, and Roland Root. It left the State June 1st, for the seat of war in Virginia, and was with Gen. McClellan in his Western Virginia campaign, participating in the engagements of Greenbriar, Rich Mountain, and Elkwater. Being ordered west, it had the advance in routing the rebels from Bowling Green; and the Adjutant General in his report says: "The First Michigan Battery saved the right wing of the Union army in the important action at Perryville, Ky." The brilliant part this battery took in the battles of Stone River and Chicamauga, and other hard fought fields, is well known to all readers of the history of our late war. At Chicamauga it suffered terribly, losing its brave commander, Capt. Van Pelt, and five men killed, eight wounded, and thirteen missing. Forty-six horses being killed or disabled, two of the guns, for want of infantry support, fell into the hands of the enemy. No battery of the war received prouder testimonials of service than "Battery A." It returned to the State July 12, 1865, and was mustered out at Jackson the 28th of the same month.

Battery "D," Capt. Bidwell, although organized at White Pigeon,

belongs essentially to this county, as all of its officers and nearly all the men were from Branch County. It left the State December 9, 1861, for Kentucky, and the rolls showed the following roster of officers: Capt. Bidwell, Lieuts. J. W. Church, H. B. Corben, D. W. Sawyer and J. B. Fuller. On the 23d of November, 1863, it was furnished with 20-pound Parrot guns, and took position in Fort Negley, one of the principal works at Chattanooga, shelling the enemy on the 23d, 24th and 25th of November. It covered Gen. Hooker's advance up Lookout Mountain, and, on the 25th, the assault on Mission Ridge. November 1st, 1864, it was assigned to Redoubt Brannon, the flag redoubt of fortifications about Murfreesboro. From the 12th to the 15th of December it was engaged with Hood's forces in his movement against Nashville. Its battle flag is inscribed with the names of Hoyer's Gap, Chicamauga, Chattanooga, Mission Ridge, and Nashville. It returned to Jackson, Mich., July 22d, 1865, and was mustered out August 3d.

Battery "F," Capt. Andrews, was organized at Coldwater, and left the State on March 3d, 1862, under the following list of officers: Capt. Andrews, Lieuts. L. F. Hale, N. S. Andrews, B. D. Paddock and George Holbrook. At Richmond, Kentucky, its infantry supports failing, after a stubborn resistance it met with the loss of its guns. Oct. 31st, 1863, one section was doing garrison duty at Bowling Green and the other at Mumfordsville, Ky. In January, 1864, it marched across the Cumberland Mountains to Knoxville, Tenn., suffering severely from intense cold and scarcity of rations and forage. On the 24th of April it was newly equipped, and was assigned to duty with the Twenty-third Army Corps. In May it joined the army of Gen. Sherman, and entered upon the Georgia campaign. At the battle of Resaca, on the 12th, it did splendid execution, and on the 9th, 11th and 14th shelled the enemy at Lost Mountain. Skirmishing daily, it took part in the action at Moss House, on the 23d. On the 24th lost three wounded at Kenesaw, and was engaged the 1st of June at Marietta. On the 8th of July it drove a rebel battery from position on the Chattahoochie River, capturing one of the enemy's guns. On the 11th assisted in driving the rebels out of Decatur, and on the 21st threw the first shell into Atlanta. It remained within 1,800 yards of the enemy, keeping up a constant fire till the 1st of August. On the 4th was in the severe engagement of Utoy Creek. When Gen. Hood made his move upon Nashville, the battery returned to Chattanooga. In assisting Gen. Thomas at Nashville, it made a march of sixty miles in thirty-six hours, and from the 12th to the 16th participated in the defense of this place. Being re-equipped, it left Nashville on the 19th of January, 1865, with Gen. Schofield's command, was transported by rail to Louisville, thence by steamer to Cincinnati, and then by rail to Washington, D. C. On the 19th of February it

moved to Alexandria, and from there took transports for Fort Fisher, N. C., then Beaufort, and finally to Newbern. On the 3d of March the battery, with the Fourth Corps, engaged the enemy at Wise's Forks, and on the 21st arrived at Goldsboro, N. C. At the close of the war returned to Jackson, Mich., and was mustered out July 1st, 1865.

Battery "G," Capt. Lanphere, although rendezvoused at Kalama-zoo, was officered and recruited almost entirely from this county, and can be claimed by Branch County as fully as if organized within its limits. It left the State for Kentucky the 12th of February, 1862, under the following officers: Capt. C. H. Lanphere, Lieuts. R. M. Wilder, J. H. Burdeck, E. E. Lewis and A. Conklen. The battery saw much hard service in Western Virginia in 1862, but was soon ordered to Memphis, Tenn., and thence to Yazoo River, Miss. It took part in the battle of Chickasaw Bayou, December 28 and 29, losing eight wounded and two killed. In January, 1863, the battery moved to Arkansas Post, and assisted in taking that important point. In February and March it was at Young's Point and Miliken's Bend, La. In April, embarking on transports, it ran the blockade at Grand Gulf, and then took an active part in a series of engagements, with Gen. Grant, in his advance on Port Gibson. At Thompson's Hills, May 1st, it lost two killed and two wounded, was engaged heavily the 16th, at Champion's Hills, and on the 17th assisted in driving the enemy from Black River Bridge. On the 19th it arrived at Vicksburgh, and was among the first to commence an attack upon that place. It was actively engaged in the siege, and was present at the surrender on July 4th. On the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th it assisted in driving the enemy out of their fortifications in front of Jackson. After the fall of Jackson, proceeded to Carrollton, La. Moving thence to New Orleans, embarked on the 13th November, 1863, for Brazos Santiago, Texas, and arrived on the 20th at Arkansas Pass. Disembarking on St. Joseph Island, it marched towards Fort Esparanza, on Matagorda Island, one section engaging the enemy. December 15th, crossed Pass Cavallo, and encamped on Decrow's Point. January 4th, 1864, proceeded to Indianola, Texas, engaging in several skirmishes. At Fort Esparanza embarked for New Orleans, and from there sailed on the 9th for Mobile Bay, and arrived at Fort Morgan Oct. 11th, and then took an active part in the siege of Mobile. From this point proceeded to Michigan, arriving at Jackson in August, 1865, and on the 6th was mustered out of service.

The Ninth Michigan Cavalry was organized in the fall of 1862, in Coldwater City, and left for the South on the 18th and 20th of May, 1863. The muster rolls of the regiment contained 1,073 names. From Hickman's Bridge, Ky., it was ordered, on the 12th of June, in pursuit of Everett's guerrillas, overtook them at Triplett's Bridge, routed the

entire command, capturing many prisoners. On the 4th of July joined in the pursuit of Morgan, who was then raiding through Ohio and Indiana. A detachment of the regiment, in the first day's march, captured a rebel Lieutenant Colonel and fifty-one men. Arriving at Westport, Ky., the regiment was divided. The first detachment, embarking on the river, joined the forces of Gen. Hobson, overtook and engaged the enemy at Buffington Island, taking 500 prisoners, three pieces of artillery, and a large number of arms. The other detachment, receiving orders on the 24th to join in the pursuit, proceeded to Cincinnati by river, and thence by rail to Mingo Junction, on the Ohio River, marching through La Grange, overtaking Morgan, July 25th, near Steubenville, Ohio, and on the following morning succeeded in pressing him into a general engagement, which resulted, after a severe fight, in the complete rout of his forces, with a loss of twenty-three killed, forty-four wounded, and 305 prisoners—nearly double the number of men in the detachment. Returning to Cincinnati, it participated in General Burnside's expedition into East Tennessee, arriving at Knoxville September 3d. The command marched at once to Cumberland Gap, driving in the rebel pickets. A detachment entered the Gap, burned a large mill on which the enemy depended to a great extent for subsistence. The next day the rebel forces, 2,500 strong, with fourteen cannon, surrendered to the Union forces. Was engaged at Carter's Station, September 23d, Zollicoffer the 24th, Blue Springs October 5th and 10th, Raytown the 11th, Henderson's Station the 28th, marching in its five months of service nearly 3,000 miles. Returning to Knoxville, engaged the enemy on Clinch Mountain, December 6th. On the 10th routed the enemy at Morristown. Was attacked, the 12th, at Bean Station, by Longstreet's infantry, and obliged to fall back upon Rutledge, acting as rear guard for the Union forces. Was engaged in constant skirmishing for two successive days and nights. On the 16th of January, moving from Dandridge, encountered the enemy in superior force, and was compelled to retire, with a loss of 32 killed, wounded and missing. Falling back *via* Strawberry Plains, reached Knoxville with scarcely horses or equipments enough to mount one-fourth of the command, having lost them by the severe duty they had been called upon to perform. Returning to Nicholasville, Ky., to refit, in May, 1864, was again in pursuit of Morgan. On the 12th again encountered their old enemy, at Cynthania, routing the whole force and taking 110 prisoners. It then took up its line of march to join Gen. Sherman, and reached Marietta, Ga., in August. On the 9th was assigned its position on the extreme right of Atlanta. Was engaged in a constant series of skirmishes during the siege, making one raid, under Gen. Kilpatrick, on the Montgomery railroad. Joining Kilpatrick's forces, took an active part in the march to

the sea, enaging the enemy at Macon, Gordon, Louisville, Waynesboro, receiving the special notice of the commanding General in his report to the War Department, for the gallant charge made at the latter place. Reaching the vicinity of Savannah on the 12th, was detached for special service, to open communication with our fleet, and was the first regiment of Gen. Sherman's army to reach the sea. The march through the Carolinas was attended with constant skirmishing, and we have not space to chronicle the various actions the regiment took part in, by keeping Wheeler's and Hampden's cavalry at bay. They were heavily engaged at Aiken Solemn Grove, Averysboro, Bentonville, and Raleigh. It had the advance while pushing Johnson's forces at Chapel Hill, N. C., where the news of Lee's surrender reached the command, and a historian of that State says that "the Ninth Michigan Cavalry fired the last hostile shot of the war east of the Mississippi." The regiment reached Jackson, Mich., on the 30th of July, 1865, and was soon mustered out, having recorded on its battle flag fifty-seven enagements. Company "B," (Capt. Barrett,) 44th Illinois, was officered and recruited from this county ; and though serving under the name of a different State organization, on many a hard fought field proved themselves worthy to be called "Michigan men," and carved for themselves a name our State may well be proud of. Many men from the county enlisted in other State regiments, and many regiments from our own State were largely made up from Branch County, among which we may mention the 11th, 17th, 19th and 28th Infantry, 1st Sharpshooters, and 4th and 5th Cavalry.

The whole number of men furnished by Branch County during the war, exclusive of those serving in other State organizations, was 2,776. The Adjutant General, in his report to the Governor, says: "Michigan rejoices in the laurels gathered by the troops from other States, in common with her own, while gloriously and bravely battling with hers, as companions in arms on the same fields, and laments them as companions in death, falling side by side in the cause of their common country ; and while she cheerfully extends to the Union troops in general her meed of praise and gratitude for their bravery in battle, and their devotion to the cause of freedom and free institutions, it belongs to her, in duty to her own troops, to award to them her especial grateful acknowledgment of her indebtedness to them for the eminent and honorable position which she has acquired among her sister States, in the prosecution of this war, in vindication of national freedom ; and while she would not, by detraction from the meritorious and gallant services of other troops, exalt her own, still she is proud to say that no regiment of her gallant sons has, in a single instance, disgraced either itself or tarnished her honorable and bright escutcheon ! but they have

been found manfully fighting in the front rank on every field, and have been trusted and relied upon for efficiency in cases of emergency and great danger, and have been specially distinguished as possessing, in the highest degree, that characteristic so essential to success in war—*true courage.*"

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## AN ADDRESS

*Delivered by Capt. J. H. McGowan, at Oak Grove Cemetery, on Saturday, May 30, 1868, on occasion of decorating the graves of the illustrious dead who fell in defense of their country during the late rebellion.*

MR. CHAIRMAN—FELLOW CITIZENS:—

It is a painful pleasure that to-day brings us together. The joy with which we gather to do honor to the memory of our former companions is circled all around with the sad remembrance that their young lives went out that we might live. None who here participate with us are too young to remember how but a very few years ago we rested securely in the thought that ours was a land of peace and war was a thing only to be dreamed of. And well do we *all* remember how we refused to believe when that dismal April day announced the opening of the bloody conflict. Yet we soon learned that there were some things worse than war—some things worse than the desolation and death that follow in the train of armies. The thought of a country broken and dissevered—of the beautiful fabric of government reared by the thoughtful care and cemented with the blood and tears of our fathers, crushed and shattered, was more terrible than to risk the lives of our dearest, and there went out from our homes the brothers, the husbands, and the fathers. From the east and from the west, from one side of our broad land to the other, from every village and hamlet, from almost every home, there went forth the young, the vigorous, the brave—ready and willing, yea, eager to meet and face the dangers which threatened our common country.

As we heard the din and preparation of war in the south the northern hosts were marshalled. While the enemies of the Republic made ready to destroy it, the friends of the Republic were equally active in preparations of defense.

At last the two great waves of humanity were dashed together, and the struggle, which we had vainly hoped would end with the first encounter, raged on and on for four long, sad, and anxious years. Finally the clouds gave way and the sunlight of peace came through upon

us. The grand old banner was triumphant. Our country was saved. But the fruits of that terrible harvest was an army of slain. Left on the ground where they fell, put away in shallow graves and trenches, gathered in great cemeteries in the south, but few of all our dead were brought to sleep in our own quiet grave yards. Around the graves of those few we gather to-day, and while we do honor to their memories we forget not those who are not here—those who fill the thousand nameless graves or sleep beneath the restless waters. To-day thousands and tens of thousands of graves from Maine to California are lovingly decked with the sweet spring flowers. To-day a million of men, who but yesterday stood a living wall to stay the fierce storm of rebellion, bend over and drop the silent tear on the ashes of the nation's dead—their comrades who went down before the blast. To-day memory and gratitude quicken the blood and warm the heart.

Those who have tented together on the open field, who have shared the scanty blankets and divided the morsel of food, those who have stood side by side while the deadly hail thinned out the ranks, those and those alone know the strength of the tie that binds soldier to soldier. Hence it is not only eminently fitting that we should come, but a happy privilege that we are permitted to come to-day as I trust we shall come once a year so long as one of us survives, and in memory of all our dead, decorate the graves of our departed comrades.

As far as we have been able to learn there are but five soldiers who are buried or have monuments here, who belong to other States. Col. Crosswaite and Lt. Col. Hodges of the 44th Indiana, privates David R. Leonard of the 49th Ohio, Byron Bates of the 8th N. Y. Heavy Artillery, and George H. Hodges of the 20th Illinois Infantry. These were all faithful and gallant soldiers. The remainder, about thirty in all, are Michigan men, who served in Michigan regiments and batteries, except seven of Co. "B" of the 44th Ill., who enlisted here in our own county and served under Michigan officers throughout. They were distributed through the following regiments and batteries: 44th Ill., 6; 1st Mich. Battery, 3; 11th Mich. Cavalry, 3; 44th Ind., 2; 1st Mich. Infantry, 2; 19th Infantry, 1; 11th Infantry, 1; 17th Infantry, 1; 49th Ohio, 1; 9th Infantry, 1; 8th N. Y. Artillery, 1; 20th Ill., 1: Lanphere's Battery, 1; 9th Cavalry, 1; where Regiment and Company unknown, 11.

It is said that when Napoleon Bonaparte wished to confer a great honor on the memory of a soldier killed in battle, he issued an order that the name of the deceased should be called at each roll call and when reached one of his companions should step from the ranks, and say, "died on the field of honor." We know that when from year to year we come here to honor the soldier dead and call the names of Gilbert, Crosswaite, Hodges, Butterworth, Van Pelt, Parker, Hackstaff, Knap-

pin, Billingsly, Craft, Crites, Leonard, Preston, Kenyon, Bates, Holben, Millard, Benton, Moore, Cudner, Clark, Hubbard, Newman, Russell, Robinson, Conklin, Tuttle, Budana, Chamberlain, Aiken, Conrad, Mitchell, Newton, Nichols, and Myer, all hearts will respond, "died on the field of honor—died that their country might be saved."

We detract nothing from the glory and reputation of other States when we say that Michigan soldiers were ever noted for their faithfulness on duty and their bravery in action. The State was represented in every arm of the service and upon every part of the vast field of action, and never did the conduct of a single regiment—a single company or a single battery give us just cause to blush. And did the time and occasion warrant we could rehearse deeds and achievements of Michigan soldiers, that for their daring and glory, are unmatched in history or fable.

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## MEETING OF THE PIONEERS OF BRANCH COUNTY, HELD AUGUST 29, 1868.

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Pursuant to a public notice the pioneers of Branch county assembled in the grove of Judge Harvey Warner, with their families and neighbors, to the number of 3,000. Spacious tables had been prepared loaded with eatables to satisfy the hunger of the multitude. The Hon. Wales Adams of Bronson presided. Allen Tibbetts of Coldwater invoked the blessing of Almighty God. Cannons fired a salute, the brass band played "Hail Columbia," and a quartette club sang "Forty Years Ago." Dr. I. P. Alger of Coldwater was, by acclamation, elected secretary for the Pioneer Society, with instructions to call a future meeting. After dinner the chairman introduced, as speakers, Mr. H. Class, Judge Warner, and Roland Root, who spoke of the early incidents of the settlement of the county. Recounting the privations of frontier life, and pointing to prominent actions in the early history of the county, to wit:

The first school teacher, Mrs. Dr. Kinney; the first white child living, Mrs. P. P. Wright; the man that built the first frame building, Mr. Harvey Warner, all present; thus referring from one thing to another—calling from the store house of experience and memory scenes long passed; the recital of which moved the hearts of the old settlers, and caused the tears to flow down the cheeks of many a spectator.

The chairman then introduced the secretary, who spoke substantially as follows :

*Mr. Chairman, Pioneers, and Fellow Citizens :—* Providence has once more permitted you to look upon faces familiar in years long passed to shake the withered hand of pioneer neighbors of thirty-eight years ago, when the county was a wilderness, only inhabited by the red man of America; for just over on the prairie was an Indian village outnumbering in population by far all the white residents of this county in 1830. It was there, in the fall of '31, that their chief, "Sauagenett," stood Websterian in form and with eloquence like Patrick Henry, addressed hundreds of his native braves, urging them to go and assist Black Hawk when he should commence to defend the home of his tribe and the graves of their fathers. It was also there that Gen. Brown bivouacked with five thousand militia in 1833, on his way to put down the Black Hawk war, that was striking terror to the homes of the pioneers on the prairies of the west.

How changed the scene this day. The wigwams have disappeared and only two miles west of where the huts of red men stood now stands the beautiful city of Coldwater. And as you, the remnant of the early settlers of Branch county, call up these scenes and incidents of other days, what thronging memories cluster around your cabin homes—that frank "*how do you do, I'm glad to see you,*" so common among the frontier settlers, will long be cherished, for then a neighbor, though ten miles away, was a neighbor near and dear to you. But alas custom has changed that hearty friendship now. If early settlers had their privations they also had their rewards in a spirit of frankness and accommodation and honest dealing that this age of velocipedes and Grecian bends will never enjoy. Look back over the sorrowing days of the past, when sickness and the angel of death visited your homes and bore some loved member of your family away to that other shore. What ministering angels of mercy your neighbors were as they came to share your sorrows and weep with you in affliction.

Mr. Chairman, these are the faces and the wrinkled hands before me that were true to their humanity thirty-eight years ago. But in looking over this assemblage of early settlers, I see they are not all here. Many a man and woman once familiar are absent now. Anson Burlingame, son of Joel Burlingame, of Branch, is the official agent of the Chinese government, making commercial treaties with the civilized nations of the earth, and has already made for himself a reputation wide as three continents; and where is Judge S. A. Holbrook, whose cheerful face and business tact was so familiar to you once? He sleeps amid the golden sands of California, never again to mingle with the scenes of earth; and where is John T. Haynes, once the director of your Baptist church?

he sleeps in old ocean's briny deep, his bones deposited in some coral cave, his spirit safe on the other shore communing with Abel, earth's first pioneer, in the realms of angels and of God. But yon lowering sun reminds me that life's moments with us all are fleeting, and soon these pleasant scenes of pioneer gatherings will be ended, for you who listen and he who speaks must soon, like our friend Joseph Hanchett and others, pass off life's stage, and when the last of the early settlers of this county shall sit as chairman at some future meeting of this society, may a happy, prosperous and intelligent people be present to minister to the wants of the last of that noble class of men and women who braved the trials of a home in the wilderness when this noble State was yet a Territory.

Thanking you for your attention, and for your compliment in electing me secretary of this society, and hoping that peace may bless your coming years, and as I never expect to meet you all again, I bid you good bye.

How sad the word when friends are called to sever,  
It may be for a little while and it may be forever.

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## SKETCHES OF PIONEER LIFE.

BY JAMES H. LAWRENCE.

In the fall of 1835, when we came to take possession of the land purchased in the (now) township of California, we passed through where now stands the thriving city of Coldwater. It then consisted of a tavern, a grocery, a small general store, a few log houses, and *nothing more*—all else, at that season of the year, a bleak waste swept by the wintry winds.

The whole tract, where thousands now congregate, and so much wealth now centers, could have been bought for a few dollars, but there was none so *reckless* as to make the venture; so we passed on to Masonville, where was a rickety, wheezing saw mill, trying its best with its slow moving power to get out a few boards to supply the small demand. We took on a few, to shelter our luckless heads when we should reach our destination, and fording the river, struck out for "Waterhouse Settlement," the *ne plus ultra* of civilization, ten miles beyond.

Our load consisted, besides the lumber, of a camp kettle, a half barrel of pork, some buckwheat flour, and a few potatoes frozen harder than gun stones; a couple of axes, two rifles, blankets, etc.

After floundering all day in the mud, having stuck fast three or four times, and having to unload and dig out repeatedly, we reached the settlement, and were cordially received by the hardy pioneers, Messrs. Tripp, Waterhouse and Sampson, who gave us a good meal of venison and cranberry sauce. After a friendly chat we retired, to rise early and bid adieu to our hospitable friends; and stepping over the dividing line between civilization and savage life, we struck boldly out into a hither-to untraversed tract of country.

Just before reaching our destination, our team "ran violently down a steep place" into the swamp, jostling our load severely and mixing things up pretty generally, spilling out the buckwheat flour, which we hastily gathered, and proceeded on our journey. Perhaps it would be well to add here, that some time after, when entirely out of eatables, and not being able to resort to the modern expedient, namely, *borrowing*, (our neighbors were too far away,) we bethought ourselves of the spilled buckwheat flour, and on going to the spot, found a little sleet had fallen and formed a crust over it, so that after removing the cover of our model meal chest, we had nearly a peck, dry and in good order. We gathered it up, as grateful as were the ancient Israelites on finding the "manna."

After reaching the spot selected for our home, we commenced to build a house, by felling the first tree cut by a white man in the town of California. By night we had our house four logs high; then, building a fire in one corner, we began to prepare supper. We had hardly commenced, when we were startled by a voice outside in the darkness, saying in plain English, "Halloo there!" and peering out through the loopholes of our retreat, we answered, "Who's there?" "Friends," was the reply. We bade them enter, which they did by pushing aside the boards which formed the roof, and stepping over the top into our parlor. We found them to be two "land lookers" by the names of Asahel Brown and Nathan Austin. They were cordially welcomed, and cutting several seven-by-nine slices of pork, we soon had ready a hearty meal, of which we all partook with a relish, having then no fear of "trichinae." After supper we set our dishes aside, there being no need of washing, as the same guests were to use the same dishes for their morning repast.

We slept soundly, the ventilation being good. In the morning, knowing that heaping coals of fire was good for our enemies, we concluded to see what effect it would have on frozen potatoes. We accordingly placed them in the fire, and heaped on the coals in the most approved Christian style. They came out as good as new, and thenceforth we were prepared to heap coals of fire on frozen potatoes, as well as upon the heads of our enemies.

After breakfast our guests left us, and Mr. Brown was so fortunate as to discover and secure that beautiful tract of land on which he now resides.

We kept steadily on, "putting our house in order," and when the sun sank in the west we had it roofed, chinked and *mudded*. And now that we were well established in housekeeping, we at once set about building a house for the family—the first *regular* house built in California. After working till all our provisions were gone, we concluded to set our faces homeward. We took a devious Indian trail, calculating we could reach the nearest house (ten miles away) in time for breakfast. The "house" was reached, but there being no signs of life, concluded to let them sleep, and struck out for "Allen's Prairie," ten miles further, with no intervening house. Here we found a hamlet of sleepers, and concluded to travel on and see if the world was all asleep. As we came to the hill overlooking Jonesville, the sun was just breaking away from his mantle of gray, and looking out on another day. We called on "mine host," and ordered breakfast, after our morning walk of twenty miles. We sat down to the first regularly prepared meal we had eaten in three weeks. With appetites sharpened by abstinence and our *morning walk*, we did ample justice to the viands set before us. We seemed to possess the dilating powers of an anaconda, but knowing that a meal was a meal, concluded to get our money's worth; and no one, to have seen us after we came out from that feast, could by any stretch of the imagination have supposed us to be the same lank, cadaverous looking individuals of half an hour before. We then struck into a double-quick, and never once sat down till we had reached Saline, fifty miles from where we breakfasted, and more than seventy from our cabin in California.

After a short stay we started, and in February, 1836, drove in the first ox team and load of goods ever brought to the town. Soon after, Mr. Beach started back for his family, and left the writer alone in the woods; and never did I feel such a sense of loneliness as then—the nearest white person six miles away, and Indians and wild beasts in plenty. All the stories I had ever heard of Indians came thronging to my memory, and the thought that when my friends came back to look for me, my scalp might be scraped and smoking in some Indian's wigwam, or that I might be "chawed" up by wolves, was far from agreeable. Scarcely had night set in, when I heard the unmistakable howl of wolves at a distance; but nearer and nearer it came, seeming as though Satan was loosed for a season, and all the fiends of the bottomless pit were gathering around me, to hold high carnival previous to being bound down in everlasting chains; and of all the earthly sounds I ever heard, the howl of those wolves was the most *unearthly*. Every

moment I expected they would attack my castle. "Each particular hair stood on end, like quills upon the fretful porcupine." I however kept up a good fire, determined if they did take me, I would go off in a blaze. I had two loaded rifles in the house, yet "all I wanted was to be let alone," and they wisely concluded not to storm such a fiery castle as mine, and could only gnash their teeth and vent their fury on each other. Toward morning they slunk away, and their howling grew faint and fainter till lost in the deep woods.

About ten o'clock my sight was gladdened by the appearance of William Beach, who, forgetting his father's instructions, had left Allen's Prairie so late as to be unable to get through, and had consequently staid all night in the woods. Having fortunately found a deserted Indian wigwam, he managed to wear the night away in safety, except the terrible fright caused by wolves and owls.

The next day came along one of the sons of the forest—Lo the poor Indian! He was a most singular specimen, for in addition to his swarthy, dirty looks, he had no nose! Either in some free fight, or by some of the ills that flesh is heir to, he had lost this most necessary appendage, and had substituted the hoof of a deer. Wishing to place ourselves on friendly terms with our *neighbors*, we asked him in to eat with us, after the first salutation, which consisted, on his part, of "bus-shoe, shemokomore," (How d'y'e do, white man?) and, in broken English, "Hungry me," (I never knew one that was not hungry). After breakfast the old fellow shouldered his rifle and went off in the woods, soon returning with the carcasses of two deer, of which he gave us a good supply. Thus on friendly terms with my neighbors, I could almost at any time get a saddle of venison for a few pounds of salt or flour.

A camp of Indians, five miles away, were our only neighbors during that first stern winter.

In February of 1836, came the first white family—the family of Samuel Beach, consisting of himself, wife, and eight children; and the Beach sprouts kept springing up around the parent stub till they reached the goodly number of eleven; and this worthy example, set by this model family, has been closely followed, though never excelled, by those who came after.

In those early times, before the day of churches in these wilds, meetings were held in the neighbors' houses. One night the meeting was to be at the house of Father Cass, and he was leader. Father Cass was a most inveterate chewer of tobacco, a three penny paper being barely sufficient for two chews. Well, as the brothers and sisters were relating their experiences, and just as a brother ceased speaking, Father Cass took a fresh chew of tobacco of the usual size, and remarked,

"Still there's room for another." The ludicrousness of the scene brought down the house, and destroyed all the solemnity for that evening. At another time, one of the young converts, who had been addicted to using rough language, arose and said, "Brethren, this reminds me of the time when I was neither man nor boy, and used to get down in the corner of the fence and pray like *thunder!*"

One other anecdote about Uncle Cass we must tell. He was once started out in great haste to obtain help, on a very important and interesting occasion. He had some three miles to go for the doctor, and on his way he struck a muskrat track. With an eye to business, he forgot his errand and went for the muskrat; and the consequence was, he got the muskrat but forgot the doctor. When he got home at night, he had, not a rabbit, but a muskrat skin "to wrap the baby buntin' in." The women were very indignant, but suffice it to say the young stranger who came to town on that occasion is now a stalwart blacksmith, and can wield the sledge equal to the "Learned Blacksmith" or any other man.

#### A PIONEER WEDDING.

Abe having the weighty matter weighing on his mind, came to the Squire one day, and said: "Be you the Squire?" "Yes." "Wal, I want you to come up to our house to-morrer. Me and Katy wants to get married." Accordingly the Squire put on his best, and at the time appointed, accompanied by a friend, repaired to the house of the damsel so soon to be the happy possessor of a husband. The old lady, the foster mother of the girl, sat on the floor, peeling potatoes for the wedding feast. The bride was dressed in her *every-day* habiliments, and seemed entirely unconscious of the bliss in store for her, not thinking that the occasion required any previous preparation on her part. After the ceremony, the husband took his guests into the woods to help cut down a bear tree, whose inmate he proposed to serve up for the wedding dinner, but Bruin being gone from home, all were content to fall back on the aforesaid potatoes.

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## HISTORICAL SKETCHES OF BRANCH COUNTY.

ABOUT the middle of September, in the year 1830, two young men, travelers, who had experienced varied adversities in the a Estern States halted for the night at the door of a log house, situated two miles east of where the city of Coldwater now stands. The house was occupied by A. F. Boulton and John Morse, and was supplied with everything comfortable for the accommodation of man or beast. A lodge of several

hundred Pottawatomie Indians was encamped about one and a half miles in a northwest direction, to which place the travelers who had stopped for the night, repaired. The Indians occupied their time in smoking, dancing, and speech-making alternately. They were discussing the subject of their removal beyond the Mississippi. The earnest appeals of several young orators, to their superiors, to resist the aggressions of the United States Government, were strikingly beautiful. It was a lovely evening ; the moon shed a pale and melancholy light upon the wild and picturesque landscape. The occasional yelpings of the Indians, their gutteral chantings, the monotonous roll of the drum, and the rattling of bones reverberating through the forest added enchantment to the scene. At this time not more than ten or twelve families lived in the county of Branch. There was not a stream bridged west of the village of Clinton. A solitary log house stood a short distance east of where the city of Coldwater now stands, and was occupied by Mr. Bonner, a Welchman. Mr. Bonner first settled in the town of Batavia on the bank of Four Mile Creek, a few miles below where Mr. Shinnamon now lives. Capt. Kirk, a millwright from the State of Maryland, lived with his family in an evacuated trading house on the west bank of Coldwater River. He was a first-class mechanic, a man with fine proportions, with a cultivated intellect. Unfortunately Capt. Kirk had become accustomed to the habit of tippling, and before the close of the succeeding October he died with the *delirium tremens*. His bones now rest on the west bank of the river. Mr. Toolc, a gentlemanly young man from the State of Virginia, was then engaged in building a saw-mill on a site now called Black Hawk. He had brought a few hundred dollars with him, purchased eighty acres of land, but before the mill was completed his money was exhausted. He became disheartened, and abruptly left the Territory, and never again returned to claim any portion of his property.

At this date there were six families living on Bronson prairie, to wit : Seth Dunham, Supervisor of the town of Green, Jabe Bronson, Justice of the Peace; John J. Richardson, Constable and Collector, Samuel Smith, Jeremiah Tillotson and Samuel Haslet. A Mr. Snow boarded with Mr. Tillotson, and was cultivating a patch of corn and potatoes without a fence, about three miles east of Bronson, at a place now called "Snow Prairie." As this was the first improvement commenced in the township of Bethel, and will form the basis of the history of that township, it will not be improper perhaps to give a further account of the original settler. Mr. Snow was apparently forty or fifty years of age ; of a taciturn turn of mind, his figure was rather tall and spare ; his sloping shoulders, compressed lips, and black evasive eyes gave to him a repulsive appearance. He was from one of the New England

States, and had been married ; but being a man possessed of keen sensibilities and a fondness for variety, became disgusted with the restraints and annoyances of conjugal life, abruptly left his family to the mercy of the world, and sought repose for himself amid the wilds of the west. In the fall of 1831, Mr. Snow sold his improvements and produce to Mr. Olmstead, father of Lyman Olmstead, of Bethel, for \$100, with which he purchased 80 acres in St. Joseph County. The following spring the Sauk War broke out. Mr. Snow became frightened ; sold his land for two yoke of stags and an old Pennsylvania wagon, and hastened to the State of New York. When the war closed, he returned ; purchased back his land, where he lived two years ; he again sold and purchased the land where the village of Burr Oak now stands. After the lapse of one or two years he again became dissatisfied and sold to William Lock, the present owner, and emigrated to the then Territory of Iowa. Iowa did not exactly suit him ; he sold again and removed to the northwest part of the State of Arkansas, where, among the hills he lived, apparently contented, for several years. Becoming again restless, he sold, and about eight years since returned to Branch county. He was poor, decrepid with age and infirmities—his hollow eyes and trembling limbs indicating that he had seen hard service. He followed the business of trapping for several months, along the placid and limped waters of Hog Creek ; but not meeting with the success he anticipated, he left in disgust, emigrated to the Territory of Minnesota, which is the last heard of him.

The following morning the travelers above mentioned, proceeded on their journey ; they were in search of some quiet nook or dell, where they hoped to pass the balance of their days in peace, away from bustle and strife. Their natures were the same, and their appearance so similar that one was often mistaken for the other. They had been reared from infancy without the softening influences of parental care. They were orphans. They had become familiar with the cold gaze of the world, and had no desire to mingle with it again. They traveled through the counties of St. Joseph and Kalamazoo and saw many beautiful and unoccupied locations ; but unaccustomed to agricultural pursuits and country life, they knew not in what business to engage. After much reflection they concluded to retrace their steps. Accordingly about the 1st of October they left Prairie Ronde in the morning, followed the trail through Nottawa and reached the Chicago trail about an hour after sunset, five miles west of Bronson Prairie, and near where the Chicago road now crosses Hog Creek. The road to Bronson was circuitous and difficult to follow ; the moon shed a pale and mellow light through a hazy atmosphere, but the dense forest and thick foliage along the pathway hid the light from their view. They groped their

course along the gloomy way—no noise was heard except the occasional shrieking of the owl, or the hellish yelping of the wolves. They had not proceeded far before they were aroused from their reveries by the tinkling of a cow-bell—they knew from experience that an emigrant family had encamped not far distant; directly they saw a bright light gleaming through the interstices of the forest trees; they approached cautiously within a few rods of the encampment in order to take a view of the arrangement. The trunk of a large, dry ash was well on fire, the blaze and smoke ascended to mid heaven, which contrasted beautifully with the surrounding forest. Two men in red shirts were seated at a respectful distance from the blazing mass, earnestly engaged in conversation. One of them was a tall, lank, lantern-jawed man, apparently 25 or 30 years of age; the other was of common size, with a sedate and interesting countenance, a few years the senior of the first. A large mastiff lay growling in the rear. Two females also occasionally appeared from behind a blanket which was suspended upon two poles. The oldest about 25 years of age—appeared to be a good, solid, serviceable woman, dressed in *linsey woolsey*. The other was about 18 years of age, and was the exact opposite of the first. Her model figure was robed in the most approved style—the graceful and majestic ease with which she swept along among the foliage, the witching smile which played around her lovely lips, the flushed and dimpled cheeks, the lustrous eye, and profusion of jetty locks which swept her well developed bust, gave to her, amid the wildness and beauty of the scene, an exceedingly interesting appearance. The artist could not have imagined a more lovely view for his pencil. The two travelers, although they were nearly exhausted with fatigue, and weak for the want of proper nourishment, gazed, from their place of concealment, upon the interesting group before them with wonder and admiration.

They did not remain in that situation long; but emerged from the brush, approached the emigrants, and asked to be supplied with refreshments; and for permission to remain by their fire till morning. The men looked upon the travelers with unconcealed suspicion. The dense forest in which they were located, the gloom of the night, and the distance from habitation, all went to confirm their fears, that banditti were lurking around. After a long consultation with the women, it was decided that the request should be complied with. And soon a pan full of well dressed squirrels were in condition to satisfy and refresh the travelers. Confidence was restored, the parties became social, and their intentions made known. The names of the travelers mentioned at the commencement of this article, were Willard Pierce and Welles Adams. They came direct to Michigan from New York city, where they had

lived several years. The names of the emigrant party were, Resin Holmes and Thomas Holmes. They were from Marion county, Ohio.

The next morning the parties examined the surrounding country, and before night it was stipulated that Pierce and Adams should build a saw mill where the Chicago trail at that time crossed Hog Creek, and that the Holmeses should settle in the immediate vicinity.

Accordingly in the course of a few days, Pierce went on foot to Monroe where the land office was then located, entered the land, returned by the way of Detroit; purchased the mill irons and shipped them around the Lakes to the mouth of the St. Joseph River, and from thence up the river to Mollville. The following July the mill was in operation. Mr. Pierce became dissatisfied with the country, and with the business of making lumber; sold his interest in the saw mill to William A. Kent, and returned east. Mr. Pierce, in his deportment, was gentlemanly and dignified; he was a first class machinist and had been employed in some of the best manufacturing establishments in New England; and was capable of superintending the construction of the most complicated machinery. As a draughtsman he could not be excelled. He had not been long east before he was employed by a company of rich Quakers who were engaged extensively in building cotton machinery at Cumberland, Rhode Island. They soon appreciated his services and gave him unlimited control of their establishment; and, also, a large interest in the profits.

In the course of two years Mr. Pierce married an accomplished and lovely daughter of one of the Quakers, and at once embraced their unostentatious form of worship. In the year 1840 Mr. Pierce retired from business rich; and the same year came to Michigan with his wife to show her where he had suffered the inconveniences of frontier life, and to induce Adams to return east, and occupy the position in business he had left. Since which time he has not been engaged in any kind of business, except as director of Pawtucket Bank. He is now, in the year 1870, 70 years of age, vigorous, and enjoying the consolation consequent upon a well spent life. Nearly forty years have elapsed since Mr. Pierce left Branch county; and there are now not more than four men living within the bounds of the county, who recollect him as a citizen. All others who knew him here, have emigrated, or their bones are now mingling with mother earth. The names of those men are Harvey Warner, Allen Tibbets, J. B. Tompkins, and Wales Adams. Resin Holmes sold the land he had entered the following spring to Enos Gragy, and emigrated to Kalamazoo county.

The first inhabitants of every new country are generally composed of every variety of character, from those who have moved in the most refined society to those who have never moved in any. The latter are

well adapted to the enjoyment of a forest life; they have no wants except such as are within their grasp, and seldom any aspirations except such as are connected with the chase. They are bold, generous, and sympathetic. Although they will avail themselves of the opportunity to make an honest penny out of a traveler, they will not turn from their doors those who are destitute. They look with unutterable contempt upon those who assume consequential airs, unless they are fully satisfied that they are abundantly supplied with pecuniary means. The real pioneers have received but little, and perhaps no *book* education, but their conversational powers are often good. They cultivate from infancy a propensity to relate long, prosy, egotistical yarns, and whatever may be the character or taste of their auditory, they will not willingly submit to inattention during the rehearsal. The natures of the females are similar to the men; they are generally coarse and masculine in their appearance; but nevertheless are exceedingly prolific and produce a vigorous progeny. The loud, sharp voices of many of them contrast horribly with the soft, musical accents of city and village bred females. But they have good lungs; they know nothing about dyspepsia or neuralgia, or any of the fashionable and high sounding diseases which now prevail in high life. Many of them are industrious and frugal, but the large families by which they are surrounded occupy their whole attention and prevents them from cultivating a desire for dress and arrangement.

The writer was acquainted with a pioneer woman who lived in Branch county in the year 1830. She was born and raised in the woods in the State of Ohio. She knew nothing about society. She cared but little about the color or cut of her dress, whether it was long or short waisted, high or low neck; whether it was drawn snug around her person so as to expose her real form like a squaw's petticoat, or hung with a graceful and lovely swell; whether it concealed or exposed her extremities; whether her feet were bare or shod. But she had an unconquerable desire to be the possessor of a clean, white cap, peculiarly constructed; none of the close fitting, comely caps which so often adorn the heads of females in fashionable life, would answer—but the crown of hers must be of gigantic dimensions, which would sweep, as she walked, the beams of her log house, and when she had her cap fairly adjusted, and placed upon her head, she assumed airs which no prude of the present day could imitate. She had no objection to boys receiving some education—it would not be improper for them to read and write—but no pedagogue should fret the heads of her girls with books; they had enough else to attend to.

As soon as the country begins to fill up, and organization takes place, the pioneer becomes restless; there is no range for his cattle and

hogs; he suffers severely from the restraints and annoyances of society. The itinerant promulgator of Divine Laws, with his black coat and elongated countenance, designates a place for meeting; the tax-gatherer haunts his house; a disciple of Galen appears in the neighborhood with his stove pipe hat, capacious pill bags, and fiddle-back pony; the peddler, with his tin trunks filled with nostrums and tape, solicits patronage; the pettifogger, with his head filled with quotations from Blackstone, is clamorous for a client. The pioneer will stand it no longer—his peace is at an end; he sells the first opportunity, and departs for a western territory.

The county of Branch was organized into a township by the name of Green, in the year 1829, and was attached to St. Joseph county for judicial purposes. The county seat was located at White Pigeon, where all legal business was transacted for the two counties. The law made it obligatory upon the Territorial Governor to appoint Justices of the Peace. Jabe Bronson received the appointment from Gov. Cass—consequently he was the first judicial officer in Branch county. Esquire Bronson located in the county of Branch on the prairie bearing his name, in the year 1828. The thin grey locks which hung in disorder over his shoulders, his furrowed cheeks and dimmed eyes, furnished unmistakable evidence that he had seen at least half a century. He was rather small in stature, and walked with a firm and measured step; he was ostentacious in his bearing, and possessed no prominent traits of character. In firmness he was wofully deficient. But like many great men of a more modern date "he watched the breeze and set his sails accordingly." Esquire Bronson was born in the State of Connecticut, and had received a very limited education. He learned the trade of a ship carpenter, and followed it for nearly a quarter of a century; he had been employed several years in some of the best ship yards in New York, and had helped caulk and repair many an old hulk in the dry dock. Situated as he was, he permitted the fire of his youth to ooze out without joining in wedlock. At length he commenced rambling, and in the course of time reached Canada, where he met a buxom and wholesome looking widow woman who had four children with her, and he soon contracted a permanent matrimonial arrangement. They turned their faces west; lived several years in Brownstown, in the Territory of Michigan, and finally landed in Branch county. Esquire Bronson was not studious; he seldom opened the lids of his Territorial Statute, unless his attention was directed to some particular section or act. He presumed that he should not have been appointed to a responsible situation had he not been fully fitted by nature to discharge the duties of his office. He relied more upon his judgement and surrounding circumstances, than upon written law; consequently in the course of his official acts he committed many amusing blunders.

The early settlers of Branch County were fond of litigation. They would not submit to the slightest real or fancied wrong, without appealing to a legal tribunal. Indeed, justice courts in a new country are manifestly indispensable. They operate as theaters, or places of amusement; no class of people, whether savage or civilized, Christian or Pagan, can live contented without excitement; and the man who has lost all relish for amusements and exciting scenes, becomes indifferent to the cares of life, and waits impatiently

“Until just Death, kind umpire of men’s miseries,  
With sweet enlargement doth dismiss him.”

The justices, litigants, pettifoggers and jurors were the actors. The pettifoggers personated the tragedian and comedian in the same play ; and often performed their parts admirably well, amid tumultuous applause. Justices’ courts, therefore, were formerly places of resort for all classes of people. The clamor of one suit scarcely died away before another was commenced more interesting than the former, which had the happy effect of keeping the inhabitants in a constant state of excitement, thereby rendering them contented, however straightened may have been their pecuniary condition. In a community where there were a score or more of male adults, generally two or more of their number assumed to be advocates. Although at that time they knew little about law or common sense, yet they had learned several law terms, which they used with fluency on all occasions, and it was entirely immaterial whether they were adapted to the points at issue or not. The incomprehensible language and ostentatious manner in which they were quoted, had a tremendous and telling effect upon the court and audience.

The territorial law of Michigan would not permit a tavern-keeper to hold the office of Justice of the Peace ; nor would it allow a Justice to hold his court in a bar-room. But Justices of the Peace found little or no difficulty in evading this law when occasion required. Esquire Bronson was manifestly a tavern-keeper, a Justice of the Peace, a postmaster ; and he invariably held his court in a bar-room, and never, according to his construction, in the slightest degree violated the law. Abiel Potter, who lived with Bronson and was his step-son, claimed to be landlord. When the time arrived for a suit to commence, the bottles, glasses and toddy-sticks were removed from the bar to the kitchen, and when all was clear, Bronson would exclaim, in a loud and distinct voice, “Abiel Potter, is this a bar-room we now occupy?” Abiel Potter answered unequivocally, “No sir, it is not.” Bronson would then call the suit and proceed to trial. When the court adjourned, the bottles were replaced, and the hall of justice was *instanter* converted into a bar-room.

Justices' courts were held on Bronson's Prairie more than a year anterior to any other place in Branch county; and they were vigorously continued. Consequently the inhabitants of that vicinity, in the course of time, became familiar with all the nice intricacies of law. Bronson's Prairie, for more than a dozen years after the days of Esquire Bronson, was emphatically the law focus for the county of Branch; during which time several men of acknowledged genius had made the practice of law in Justices' courts their principal business, and had become notorious advocates. Their fame extended beyond the precincts of Branch county. They relied, however, more upon innate knowledge of the fundamental principles of law and common justice than upon laborious research in voluminous and antiquated books. Many of the sharpest lawyers in Coldwater, who plumed themselves upon their preëminent sagacity and depth of legal knowledge, occasionally attended the Bronson sessions. They went full of assurance; returned, humiliated and crestfallen. They could not successfully face a Bronson Cicero. Every point they attempted to make was met with logical and unanswerable arguments, condensed and beautiful, and unless pecuniary considerations had a controlling influence, scarcely a lawyer in Coldwater could be found who had the audacity to hazard a second effort.

About half a score of years since, the law focus was removed, by common consent, from Bronson to a place called Quincy, a village located in the eastern extremity of Branch county, where the sessions have been kept up to the present time with tolerable zeal.

Since the court has been removed, the village of Bronson has assumed a neat and unobtrusive appearance. The inhabitants are affable, magnanimous, peaceable. All are engaged in commendable pursuits.

In the winter of 1830 and '31 the six families who occupied Bronson's Prairie supported a good school. It was taught by Columbia Lancaster, in a log tenement which stood within a few rods of the present residence of James Ruggles, and was then owned by Seth Dunham. Fifteen or more scholars were regularly in attendance. Among their number were three well developed young ladies, daughters of Mrs. Bronson and Mr. Tillotson; also a son of Esquire Jones, of Jonesville. This was the first school taught in Branch county, and the first taught between Clinton and White Pigeon. During the three months that Lancaster resided on Bronson's Prairie, he officiated as pedagogue, lawyer, theologian, and as a disciple of *Æsculapius*. He was the *sine qua non*. The inhabitants of that pent and isolated community reposed unbounded confidence in the ability of Mr. Lancaster to perform whatever he undertook.

"The village all declared how much he knew,  
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While words of learned length and thundering sound  
Amazed the gazing rustics ranged around;  
And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew,  
That one small head could carry all he knew."

As Mr. Lancaster was the first pedagogue in the county of Branch, a short sketch of his life may not be uninteresting. Columbia Lancaster was born in the State of Connecticut, in the year 1803; emigrated with his father's family to Ohio in 1817; labored assiduously in the usual business of farming, till he arrived at the age of manhood; received his education in district schools; commenced the study of divinity with a presiding elder in 1825; at the end of two years became satisfied that clerical robes were not adapted to his capacity; entered the law office of Whittlesey & Newton as a student in 1827; was admitted to the bar in 1830; arrived at White Pigeon in August of the same year; was admitted, and commenced the practice of law; taught school on Bronson's Prairie in the winter of 1830 and '31; at White Pigeon the following summer; erected the first log house in Centerville in the fall of 1831, Robert Clark, the proprietor of the village plat, giving him his choice of the lots; lived there alone with his brother Elizur in the winter of 1831 and '32; followed the chase, and was successful; proved an adept in the business; county seat removed from White Pigeon to Centerville in 1832 or '33; business prospects brighten; clients and retaining fees are abundant; becomes a popular and talented advocate; practices in all the courts in the adjoining counties; in 1836 marries a worthy, accomplished and fascinating lady in the State of Ohio; is president of St. Joseph county bank; in 1838, represents St. Joseph county in the Legislature; about the year 1840 sells his property in Centerville to the Hon. John S. Chipman, and leaves Michigan with his family for Oregon; reaches a gorge in the Rocky Mountains eight hundred miles beyond the settlements; his family all sick; child dies, wife unable to proceed; his companions leave him with the Indians and pursue their journey; the Indians prove friendly, and assist him in his return to the settlements; goes to Pennsylvania and stops there some time; returns again to Michigan, and about the year 1845 leaves again with his family for Oregon; succeeds; settles on the Columbia River, and secures a section of land; in 1856 represents the Territory of Washington as a delegate in Congress; still lives where he first settled, feels at home, and is surrounded by all the comforts of life.

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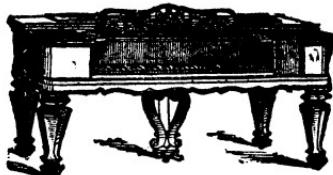
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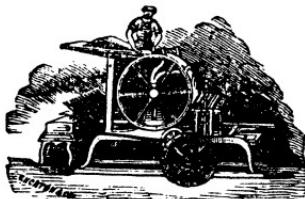
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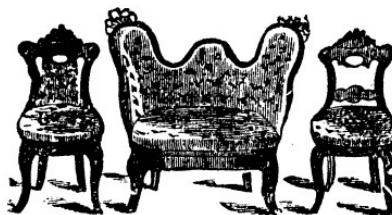
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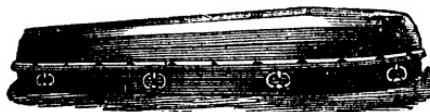
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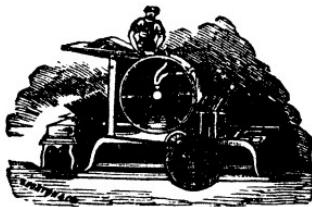
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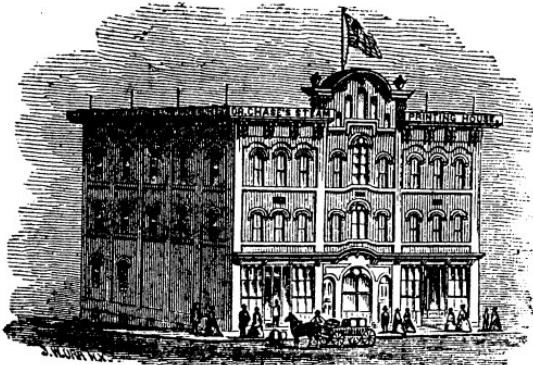
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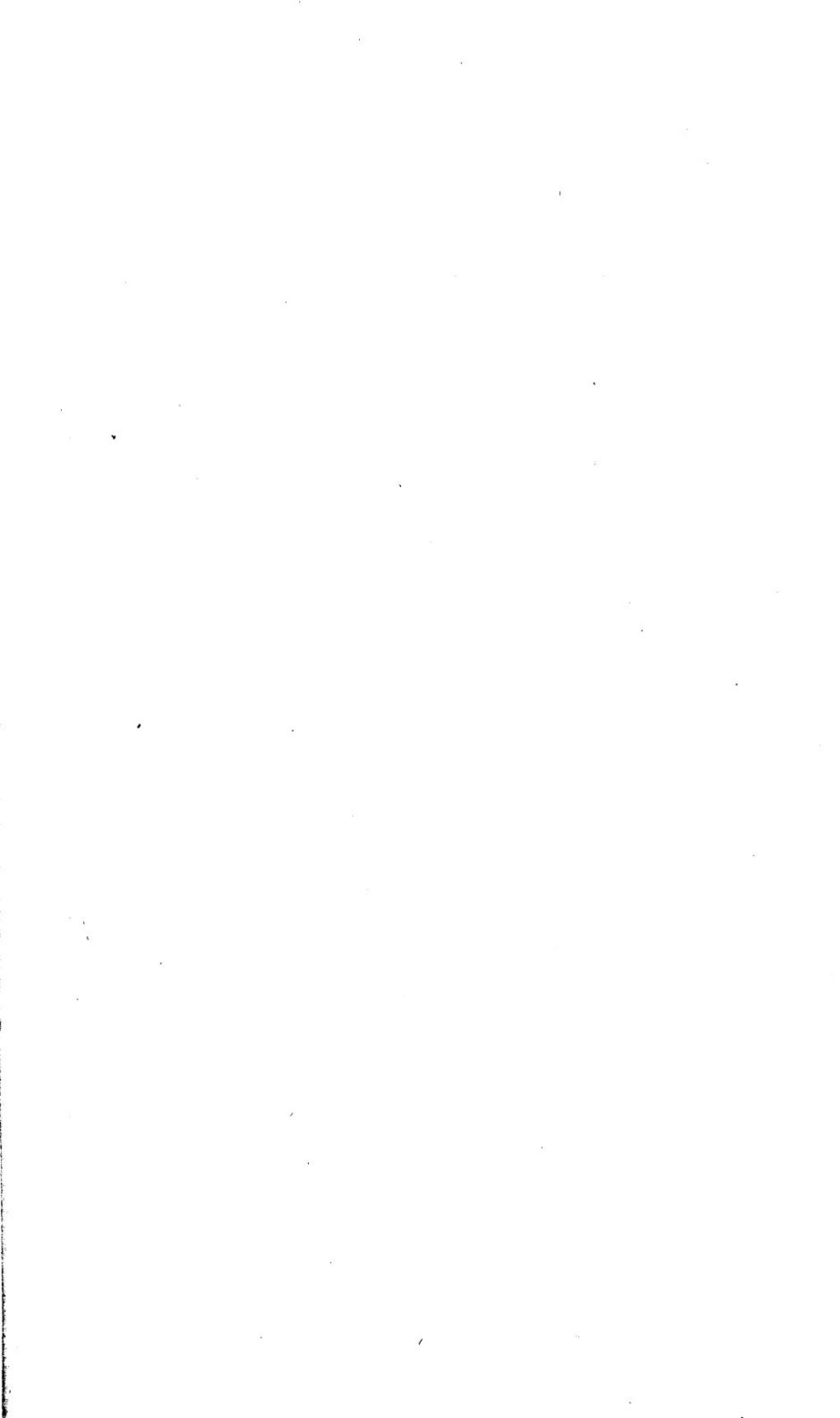
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